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## AMERICAN OPINION IN SURVEY OF PROBABLE SILVER ACTION

### MOLLISONS PREPARING FOR AIR RACE

The Stratosphere To Be  
Next Step.

IN RELATION TO HIGH SPEED  
OF AEROPLANES

London, Yesterday.  
The stratosphere is the  
next step in the opinion of  
Mrs. Amy Mollison, the fa-  
mous flyer, who arrived in  
London to-day after a holi-  
day in the United States.  
She was accompanied by her  
husband, Mr. J. A. Mollison, who  
met her at Southampton.

Mrs. Mollison declared that she  
was now well and strong. She  
and her husband would prepare  
for the air race to Australia this  
year, and after that she thought  
that the stratosphere was an  
idea for experiment.

Mr. Mollison said that they  
were interested in the stratos-  
phere only as far as the high  
speed of aeroplanes was con-  
cerned. — Reuter.

### WARNING BY CHANCELLOR OF EXCHEQUER

Too High Expectations  
In Budget.

AEROPLANE NO SUBSTITUTE  
FOR CRUISER

London, Yesterday.

A warning against too high ex-  
pectations in the Budget, was ut-  
tered by the Chancellor of the Ex-  
chequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain,  
yesterday, in a speech at Plymouth.

He said that nobody was more  
anxious than he was to mitigate  
the heavy burden of taxation and  
to restore the cuts in pay as soon  
as and as far as they could when  
they felt that they could safely  
do so, with due regard to the  
soundness of the country's finan-  
ces.

Certain charges, however, con-  
tinued to increase automatically,  
and next year were bound to cost  
more than the present.

Then the position of the  
defence forces must be con-  
sidered. Reductions of ex-  
penditure by the postpone-  
ment of building and stores  
could not indefinitely be con-  
tinued.

Referring to the outcry for a  
larger Air Force, Mr. Chamber-  
lain remarked that the aeroplane  
was no substitute for a cruiser. —  
Reuter.

### LONDON SILVER MARKET.

Prices Decline.

London, Yesterday.

Spot and forward silver  
prices declined 1/6 in Lon-  
don, to-day.

Closing prices were as follows:—  
Feb. 23 Feb. 24  
Spot ..... 20% 20.9/16  
Forward .. 20.11/16 20%

The London on New York cross  
rate remained unchanged on yester-  
day's quotation, closing at  
\$-U.S. 6.07½.—Our Own Corre-  
spondent.



Mr. J. A. Mollison

### M.C.C. WIN BY 8 RUNS

Close Encounter Against  
India-Ceylon XI.

MARRIOTT AND CLARK  
DO WELL

Colombo, Yesterday.

The M.C.C. touring eleven were  
given a fright to-day before they  
beat the Combined India and  
Ceylon team, which included five  
Test cricketers, by the narrow  
margin of eight runs.

The tourists batted first and  
totalled 155 against accurate bow-  
ling by Amar Singh, the All-India  
player, who took 6 for 62.

C. S. Marriott was largely re-  
sponsible for trundling the combin-  
ed team out for 104, taking 4 for  
37, but the M.C.C. totalled only  
78 in their second venture, thus  
losing their grip on the game.

Faced with the task of scoring  
130 to win the home team were  
dismissed for 121. Clark, the  
Northants fast bowler, taking 4  
for 38.—Reuter.

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### BRITISH CABINET CHANGE.

Sir John Simon May Go  
To Home Office.

CURBING FASCIST MOVEMENT

London, Yesterday.

The translation of the  
Foreign Secretary, Sir John  
Simon, to the Home Office, in  
order to deal with the Fascist  
movement, it is hinted in  
"The Times," to-day, which  
remarks that there is no de-  
partment in the Government  
for which his profound legal  
knowledge more obviously  
fits him. — Reuter.

The present Secretary for  
Home Affairs is Sir John  
Gilmour.

### CANADA WAITING FOR BRITAIN.

Relationship Regarding  
Re-Valued Gold.

SPECIAL TO SUNDAY HERALD.

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phic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Re-  
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Ottawa, Yesterday.  
It is understood that Canada  
will wait until Great Britain  
establishes a definite relation-  
ship regarding re-valued of  
gold and will then take a pos-  
ition with due regard to  
Canada's international obliga-  
tions.—United Press, per S.C.  
Gold Bar Co.

### WEATHER FORECAST

Cloudy weather with moderate  
east winds, was the forecast issued  
by the Royal Observatory yesterday  
evening.

## NO BIMETALLISM OR SY-METALLISM?

### CONGRESS FACE PAPER CURRENCY OR SILVER

#### APPROVAL OF LEGISLATION

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL AND SUNDAY HERALD.

WASHINGTON, YESTERDAY.

QUESTIONED BY THE UNITED PRESS IN A SURVEY OF  
PROBABLE SILVER ACTION IN THE UNITED STATES. THE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SPEAKER, MR. RAINES, SAID:—

"UNDOUBTEDLY THERE IS A RISING TIDE THROUGHOUT  
THE NATION FAVOURING SILVER ACTION, WHICH IS RE-  
FLECTED IN CONGRESS.

"I, PERSONALLY, FAVOUR THE HEAVY PURCHASE OF  
SILVER AND THE ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATES AGAINST IT,  
BUT THERE IS NO PUBLIC INDICATION OF THE ADMINIS-  
TRATION'S ATTITUDE, SO IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO ANTICIPATE  
ANY CONGRESS ACTION."

Mr. Elmer Walzer financial editor of the "United Press," said:

"There probably will be no bimetallism or sy-metallism. My  
opinion is that the Government is planning to sequester silver in the  
same manner as gold, embargoing exports and imports and paying  
probably as much as 50 cents per ounce for the present supplies."

"They may increase the price of newly-mined metal to a 16  
to 1 ratio, with U.S. \$35 gold, retaining half the seignorage."

"They may then increase the silver certificates, proportion-  
ately to the amount of metal sequestered, giving new silver certificates  
for silver."

"The House of Representatives  
member, Mr. Fiesinger, said:  
"I am satisfied that we are  
going to use silver. Congress  
will ultimately be faced with the  
choice of paper currency or sil-  
ver. I do not want paper, but want  
substance of silver."

"When the country and Con-  
gress understand that it is a  
question of paper inflation or sil-  
ver, Congress will approve some  
silver legislation."

The House of Representatives  
member, Mr. Somers, expressed  
an opinion that the most proper  
immediate action would be the  
extension of the Government's  
silver purchasing plan to all the  
silver in the world, whether old  
or newly-mined, with the  
Government making a seignorage  
and handling cost sufficient to  
protect against future specula-  
tion in silver.

"My impression is, that the  
stabilisation fund could be used  
to buy silver. The Act specifies  
gold and foreign exchange, but  
foreign exchange means silver,  
because silver is money and ex-  
change in China," he declared.

"I do not know whether  
legislation will be enacted  
immediately," he continued,  
"but in my opinion, the  
longer we delay help for  
silver, the more we encour-  
age the dislocation of indus-  
trial functions."

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### BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR SILVER ACTION.

Determined Effort To Be  
Made Next Week.

SPECIAL TO SUNDAY HERALD.

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phic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Re-  
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Washington, Yesterday.  
The House of Representatives  
member, Mr. Murdock, author of  
the symmetrical plan for the dollar  
base yesterday told the United  
Press that the outlook was more  
favourable for House action for sil-  
ver legislation than ever before.

"The Coinage Committee is an-  
xious to take action, and there will  
be a determined effort next week to  
agree to some Bill and report."

United Press per S.C. Gold Bar Co.

### REQUIREMENTS FOR SOUND BASIS

\$10,000,000 Needed In  
Gold And Silver.

ADDITIONAL SILVER WANTED

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ceived February 24, 9.45 a.m.)

Washington, Yesterday.  
The Walter Trent, the New York  
analytical engineer and inventor,  
yesterday told the House of Repre-  
sentatives Coinage Committee that  
the United States need U. S. \$10,-  
000,000 in gold and silver reserves  
for a permanently sound basis.

The country now has U. S. \$5,-  
000,000,000 in gold and U. S.  
\$860,000,000 in silver, but should  
obtain U. S. \$4,000,000,000 worth  
of additional silver.—United Press  
per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

### AMERICAN SILVER LEGISLATION.

"Impossible To Predict."

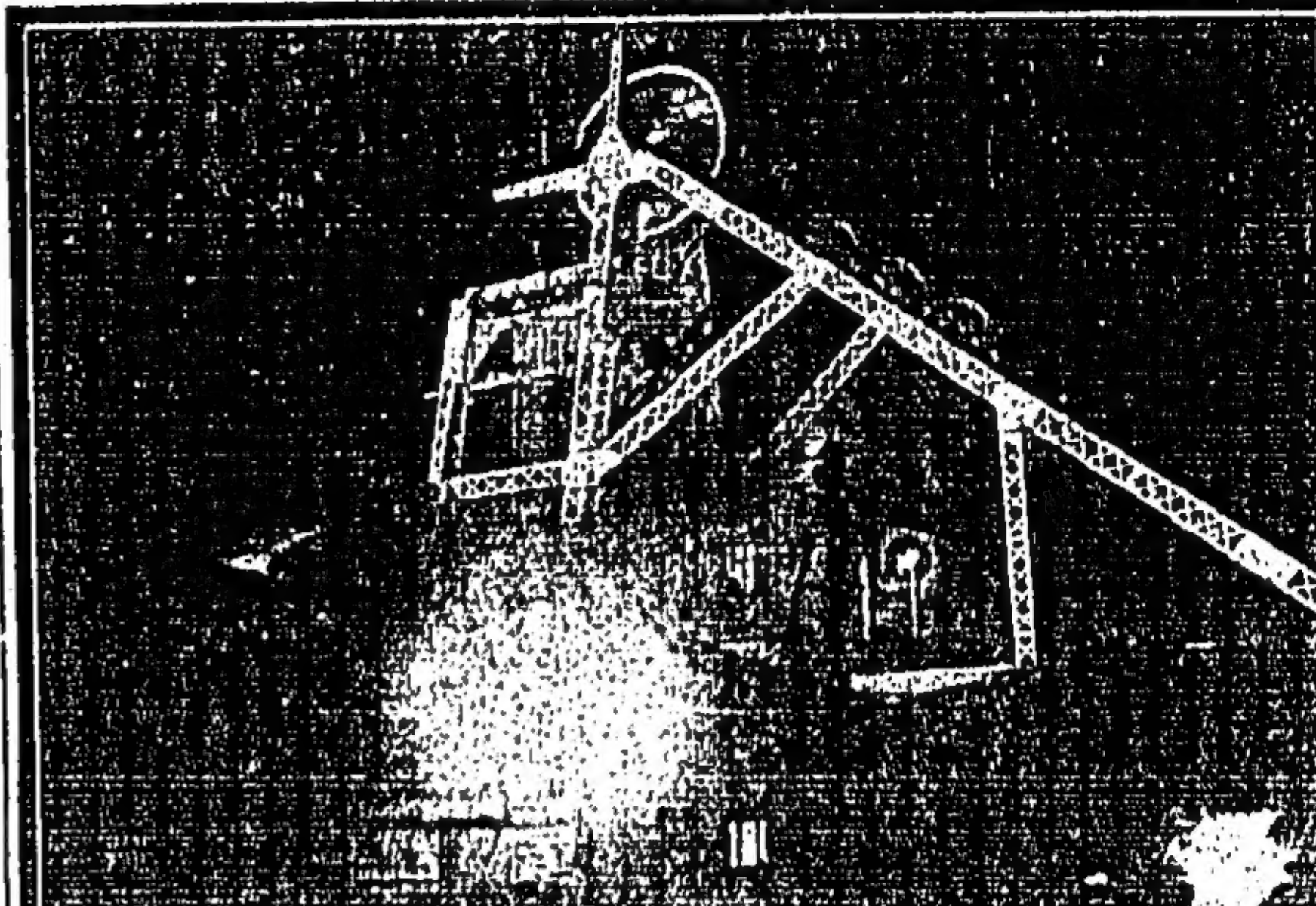
SPECIAL TO SUNDAY HERALD.

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Washington, Yesterday.  
Mr. John Janney, Chairman of  
the American Society of Practical  
Economists, and a frequent expert  
witness before the House of Re-  
presentatives Coinage Committee,  
yesterday told the United Press  
that it was impossible to predict  
what silver legislation would be  
taken this session.

He said that the Congressional  
Conservatives had become silver  
advocates for the purpose of re-  
storing the gold standard and sav-  
ing the world from the tragedy of  
managed currency.—United Press,  
per S.C. Gold Bar Co.

H.M.S. Cornwall, which went Home  
to be refitted and recommissioned for  
further service on the China Station,  
arrived in the Colony from Singapore  
yesterday morning. She is of the  
Fifth Cruiser Squadron.



Something new in flood-lit hling spectacles is now visible to  
passengers on the L.M.S. Railway between Sheffield and Leeds.  
Big beams cast their rays on the headgear and surface equip-  
ment of the Houghton Main Colliery, a mile north of Darfield,  
near Leeds.—(S. & G.).

### JAPAN PLAN TARIFF BARRIER

Legislation to Control  
Exports and Imports

Tokyo, Yesterday.  
In view of the measures which  
some countries are adopting to  
check the imports of Japanese  
merchandise, it is learned that the  
Japanese Government is drafting  
legislation to control the export  
and import trade and to revise  
tariff rates.—Reuter.

### "HUNGER MARCHERS" IN LONDON

City Police Called Out  
En Bloc.

BIG MEETING IN HYDE  
PARK TO-MORROW

London, Yesterday.

The Metropolitan Police are mak-  
ing quiet but extensive arrange-  
ments to deal with the 10 contin-  
gents of so-called "hunger mar-  
chers" who are converging on Lon-  
don from all parts of the country  
for the meeting in Hyde Park to-  
morrow, where they will be ad-  
dressed from eight platforms by  
prominent Labour members and  
Communists.

A resolution will then be  
adopted, protesting against the  
Unemployment Bill.

The contingents are expected  
to remain in the metropolis for  
at least ten days, during which  
time special constables will be  
on duty. All leave of the regular  
police force has been cancelled.—  
Reuter.

### Denied Audience With Prime Minister.

London, Yesterday.

The British Premier, Mr.  
Ramsay MacDonald, has re-  
fused to receive a deputation  
of the so-called "hunger mar-  
chers" who have arrived in  
London from all parts of the  
country to demonstrate against  
the Government's Unemploy-  
ment Bill.

The letter of refusal states that  
the deputation can do no service  
to the unemployed, stating: "The  
Communist purpose of these  
marches is common knowledge."

It adds that the Unemployment  
Bill now before the House of Com-  
mons will facilitate more satis-  
factory treatment of the whole  
question of unemployment.—Reu-  
ter.

### BRITAIN'S TRADE WITH CHINA

Direct Dealings Urged  
To Cut Costs.

MR. TU YUEH-LEE'S ADDRESS

London, Yesterday.

Mr. Tu Yueh-lee, manager of the  
Bank of China, in London, address-  
ing the Manchester Bankers' In-  
stitute, this afternoon, urged direct  
trading between the manufacturers  
of Great Britain and the Chinese  
importers, to reduce the costs of  
goods.

The modern Chinese banks, he  
said, were ready to assist with in-  
formation of any Chinese firm's  
financial standing, and the  
Government was firmly resolved to  
facilitate commerce and to ensure  
proper settlement of legal disputes.  
—Reuter.

### NEW CONSTITUTION FOR CHINA.

Important Rulings For  
Government Elections.

MILITARY GOVERNORS  
BARRED

Nanking, Yesterday.

The new constitution for China  
is finally beginning to take shape  
after months of careful delibera-  
tion by a special committee of the  
Executive Yuan.

It is learned that the provisions  
include that the Chairman of the  
Government must be elected by the  
National People's Congress, and  
also that no military man may be  
appointed Provincial Governor  
within three years from his retire-  
ment from active service.—Reuter.

### CHINA'S SILK INDUSTRY.

Finance Vote Urged  
For 3-Year Plan.

Canton, Yesterday.

According to the Silk Bureau  
of the Provincial Department  
of Reconstruction, the \$2,000,-  
000 which the Bureau urges  
the National Economic Council  
in Nanking to appropriate, will  
be divided into three parts to  
be used in three years.

In the first year \$600,000 will be  
used for improving sericulture,  
\$550,000 for promoting silk indus-  
try in the second year, and \$850,000  
for extending the domestic and  
foreign silk trade in the third year.  
—Central Press.

### FASCISTS' SUMMARY "JUSTICE"

Offending Member  
Maltreated.

FORCED TO DRINK HALF  
PINT OF CASTOR OIL

London, Yesterday.

An amazing story was told at  
Westminster Police Court, to-day,  
of an alleged assault by a number  
of Fascists against a member  
named Richardson, who is reported  
to have revealed information con-  
cerning the movement to a news-  
paper.

The prosecution alleged that  
Richardson was taken into the  
office of the Chief of Staff, where  
he was abused and deprived of  
his membership badge, after  
which he was taken to a cellar  
where he was required to re-  
move his hat and coat.

He was then assaulted and  
thrown to the ground and  
forced to swallow half a pint of  
castor oil.

Finally, he was released with  
an order to say that his injuries  
were due to an accident, "or he  
would get something worse."  
Richardson, who informed the  
police, was taken to hospital  
where it was found that his in-  
juries were fairly serious, a stom-  
ach pump revealing a harmful  
quantity of castor oil. — Reuter.

### SOVIET OFFICIALS RELEASED.

Big Step In C.E.R.  
Pacification.

DETAINED FOR SIX MONTHS

Harbin, To-day.

The six Soviet officials of  
the Chinese Eastern Rail-  
way, who were arrested on  
September 24, last year, by  
the Manchukuo authorities,  
have been released. — Reu-  
ter.

Intimation that the move would  
be made was revealed by the Japa-  
nese Foreign Office, yesterday,  
following the presentation, on Thurs-  
day evening, by the Soviet Amba-  
sador to Tokyo, of conditions for  
release which were acceptable to  
Japan.

The employees were alleged to  
have been arrested for having com-  
mitted crimes and abused confi-  
dence, but in a subsequent statement  
made by a Manchukuo representa-  
tive, it was stated that the men  
were being detained for enquiries  
regarding suspected transgression  
of duties.

### SOCIAL WELFARE IN PRISONS.

Handicraft Training For  
Canton Convicts.

MONEY VOTE ADOPTED

Canton, Yesterday.

Yesterday's meeting of the  
Provincial Judicial Conference  
was attended by 64 attorneys of  
local courts, besides Mr. Luk Chi-  
tsing, who presided, and judges  
and procurators of the Provincial  
Court.

A number of proposals were  
adopted at the meeting, among  
them being the appropriation of  
funds for the establishment of  
work-shops for prisoners and the  
training of prisoners in handi-  
craft. — Central Press.



A good start to the day—a "pick-me-up" of

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Short Stories of Local Interest.

## Turtle, Turtle, Shining Bright

By  
James Dalziel.

JASPER JOHNES is a realist. Though he may not so express himself yet, as the dictionary has it, he believes in the "intuitive cognition of external objects." His reaction to the turtle is similar to that of the Cockney after contemplating the giraffe in the Zoo — "There ain't no such beast." He is firmly persuaded that turtle meat and soup never existed outside a tin-can, and are the invention of Messrs. Crosse and Blackwell, London, England. Also that turtle eggs, like golf balls, are a side-line of the Dunlop Rubber Company. This after all of last summer's week-ends spent in hunting this historic and gargantuan but elusive tortoise, without even the sight of the back of one floating off-shore in the moon-lit blue. So anyone who talks turtle-hunts to Johnes today is certain to hear wicked words and even risks assault and battery. But at the end of the season Johnes got some of his own back on certain enthusiasts, and the way of it is hereinafter placed on record.

Now I don't want to fall out with Johnes. He is an old friend and one of the best—and he is ten years younger and weighs two stone more than I do. So you can believe me that in telling this tale I have got to punch the type-writer with circumspection, and you will understand why, as far as this story is concerned, the turtle is a mythological entity in the same category as the mylonid, the great auk, and the Peak Tiger. You may even think that the superfluity of adjectives qualifying any mention of the insect in question argues a certain pusillanimity on my part; but then—perhaps you don't know Johnes!

The trouble started when Johnes joined a Club whose members go down to the sea in little ships for the joy of it, and was given to understand while consuming certain golden drinks as the golden sun went down on the golden-verandah that on the outlying benches turtles lay around "thick as leaves in Vallombrosa." All you needed was a boat and a bamboo pole, and the patience to lie still on the moonlit sand till a turtle came up out of the sea and bit you. Then you woke up, and with your pole turned the confiding crustacean over on its back, when the boat-boys carried this perambulating provision store to the boat while you stalked behind whistling "The Grand March of The Aldermen."

So Johnes went out, and saw a man, and bought a boat: a motor boat, for the mystery of wind and sail had been omitted from his education. A motor boat—of sorts; with a large, noisy but efficient engine in the front end, and a large, silent but efficient ice-chest in the tail end, and a place in between to eat and sleep. And as Johnes said—"Wot'nell more d'ye want of a boat to go out in catch turtles?"

Then Johnes, like the business man he was, looked round for expert assistance; and behold, here was Broom, the super-expert, with more (alleged) turtles to his credit than any man between Shaokwan and West Point, yea, from the Praya to the Peak and even unto the purlieus thereof. And Broom, having cognisance of the large, silent but efficient ice-chest on the tail-end of the good ship "Lady Lazy" was more than willing.

Now the months sacred to the chase of the elusive reptile before-mentioned are July, August, and September, these three; and the night of the month chosen should be as near as possible to the date of the full moon. For only on a night when the moon shines bright (as the song has it) does this timid bird stalk forth and up the sands to lay its eggs, and bite the dreaming hunter on the putties.

So every Saturday night, and other nights if the moon shone, saw Johnes, the novice, and Broom, the expert, perched on an eminence above a fine expanse of shining sand on one of the out-lying islands. And the moon mooned away overhead, and the mosquitoes caroled joyously all about and on them, and the little waves of the South-West Monsoon made merry mingling music. But never a queening hen showed above the dancing blue, never a black shape trundled up the silver of the shore. Yet Johnes carried on, for he was vowed to kill

a turtle. If such things were, he was vowed to get one. The Turtle was to Johnes, as the Holy Grail was to the King's Knights. And he was an Optimist. As I have said before that he was a realist that makes him a realistic-optimist, or should we call him an optimistic-realist? Call him what you like as long as he doesn't hear you! Anyhow, that's what he was.

But if Johnes did not capture the black game his soul hankored after, in the chase itself he found many compensations. He has now a unique knowledge of the small islands strung like a necklace of sapphires around Hong Kong from Waglan in the East to within sight of Macao in the West. To him today their cunning bays and cosy anchorages are well-remembered "ports and happy havens". In how many of them, after a night of strenuous—or... hunting, has he not slept the Sabbath noons away? What memories are his? Of the runs outward, with the "Lady Lazy" rolling gunnel under in the South-West swell, and of runs home North-about of Lantau lying on a deck steady as a house, with the tall twin peaks holding aloft a roof of feathery clouds far up and over them. Of the gin-and-bitters hour, when all the world of sea and shore and mountain took on 'the light that never was', till the moon came up and washed the night world with silver. Of steak-and-onions and beer at sundown, and how good they were eaten on deck in the clean air? Of his morning plunge into crystal-blue water as the sun tipped the mountain crests with fire. Of multiple fried eggs and unmeasured cold ham in the hungry morning. He has his memories; and memories are the one thing that none but Death from us can flch away.

The weeks went by, the months followed on, till came the middle of September. Only another fortnight, and they could give up hope for the season. So Broom said to Johnes—"Turtles is hell!" And Johnes said to Broom—"You're the doctor. Now, what about it?"

Broom didn't like the look in Johnes's eye, didn't like it a bit. And besides the ice-chest on the tail-end of the "Lady Lazy" had been functioning silently but efficiently all summer. Say what you like, these things count. He had to make a showing. Well, he had something up his sleeve.

"Keep calm, Jasp, old man, we'll fix 'em yet! We've still got Turtle Island. I've kept it to the last. It's a long pull, but if we don't get a turtle there I'll eat my sanguinary chapeau. And we're sure to have it all to ourselves. None of the lads try as far from home as that."

"And about time too," said Johnes; and the very next Saturday evening as ever was saw the "Lady Lazy" at anchor on the North side of Turtle Island.

I call it Turtle Island, but of course you wouldn't find any island of that name on the chart. We turtle hunters are a secretive race, and Johnes is—Johnes. But this much I can tell you. If you leave The Slipway at Two G. M. and keep going you should have your anchor down in time for evening tea. But to understand what happened and the true inwardness of it something of the form of the island you must know. The easiest way and the natural would have been for me to give you a map or sketch, but Editor says it won't run to reproducing a sketch-map for a mere short story what with the dollar being at one-and-nix-worth-mention and the price of whl... formazone being what it is, and him going on leave next year anyhow. And he's got the say-so.

So now to give you an idea of Turtle Island. In the beginning just remember that physical geography was never my strong point, and hydrography is as much a mystery to me as the insides of the sausages in a Chinese restaurant. Well, here's a model of the island right to hand. Take one of your dumbbells—I'm crediting you with being one of these strong silent men and doing your morning score and so possessing dumbbells—and lay it in the vna-h-hand basin. Then run the water into the basin till the dumbbell is half-way submerged. There you have it; more or less of a model of Turtle Island, sea and all. Get your great imagination to work, and see an island

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# Mainly Women



## Mainbocher Shows Art Of Teaching Kiddies To Dress

### Striped Note Used In Original Ways

#### CAPES ARE PARAMOUNT

DRESS, like any other subject, profits greatly from economy of means. The designer who with the least amount of displacement achieves a maximum effect is, always the most distinctive and gives the impression that he is master of much more than actually appears. For several seasons the Mainbocher collection has fulfilled these conditions. At first sight the long, close-fitting lines may seem a simple enough conception, repeated indefinitely. Other designers do not, however, produce in the least the same effect with them, and one or two notes are used here with results that would demand and octave elsewhere.

There is tremendous variety in ways that seem simple yet required origination. A simple instance is that of an evening frock in the dead white which this house uses successfully. It has sleeves or epaulettes of wide ribbon, in loops, the inside of which is white and the outside black. The sash or how at the waist is treated in the same way.

The simple black dress for every day is another instance of the same thing, which is differentiated from all others. The simplest, slightly bloused bodice, worn with a seemingly straight skirt of calf-length, has its V neck outlined with bright striped ribbon, which is also used for the belt.

The contrast has to be vivid. The ribbon is not only in bright stripes; it is also shiny and it has an almost enamelled effect in a dark setting. An afternoon appearance may be lent to it by its being made of marocain, with a three-quarter swaggar coat to go with it, the coat being gathered on the shoulders to suggest informality rather than tailoring. This striped note is used throughout the collection, and always with a little surprise in its use. It is adapted for instance, to the cape, which may turn back to show a lining surrounded with the stripe that is used upon the dress.



The cape is paramount here. Sometimes it is used, instead of a short coat, with a tailored skirt. Cape and skirt made the suit, which is usually completed by a short-sleeved blouse. Capes most often tie at the neck.

### Trouble Eliminated If Started Young.

MUCH worry will be eliminated if the children are taught to dress themselves when very young. A good idea, too, is to have a chart with days of the week and to let the children mark down with a red pencil if they have brushed their teeth, washed their faces, hands, ears and generally made themselves neat.

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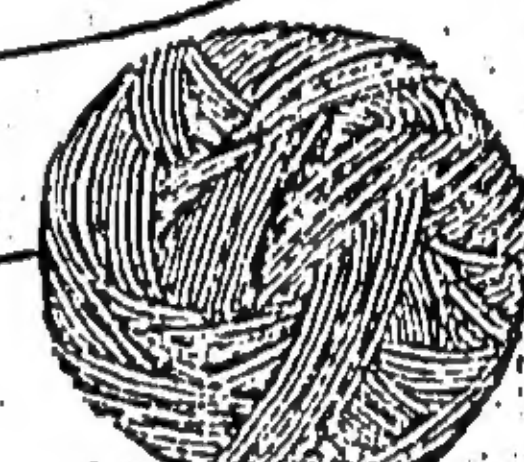
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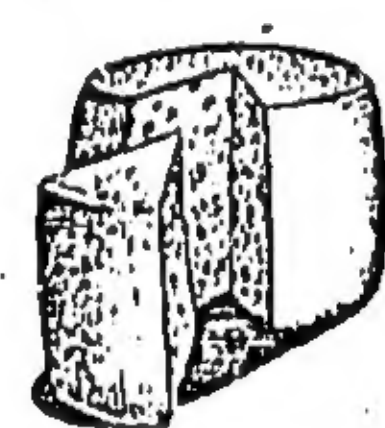
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# SENSATIONAL DIVIDENDS RETURNED AT ANNUAL RACE MEETING

## C.B.S. LACK STAMINA IN CUP HOCKEY

Collapse After Interval Against Saints.

DRAW AT HALF-TIME

Although defeated by 5 goals to 1 in their Caer Clark Cup hockey competition match by the St. Andrew's Ladies on the Marina ground yesterday, the Central British Schoolgirls put up a very fine display and actually held the Saints to a draw at half-time, sharing two goals.

The pace, however, proved too fast for the School girls, who collapsed in the second half to allow the Saints to net four more goals. Miss D. Moss, in goal, played a brilliant game, and her effective clearances saved many certain points.

Miss J. Bryson was very sound in the full-back line, while Miss K. Moir and Miss J. Lukeman were also prominent. Miss H. Knill, the captain, also played a sound game, netting the only goal for her team in spectacular manner. Miss I. Kraukle made her debut for the Schoolgirls in the game when playing on the left wing.

The Saints on the whole played very disappointingly and failed to produce their usual brilliance.

The Saints forwards were badly off form, and frequent opportunities were missed. It was only in the latter stages that they were able to break away and obtain the deciding goals.

MISS P. GITTINS opened the scoring but MISS H. KNILL levelled the score before the teams changed over.

The Saints pressed hard after the interval, but missed many chances before MISS P. GITTINS obtained the decider.

This goal was followed by a "hat-trick" by the Saints' captain, MISS M. WOOLLEY, who scored in quick succession.

The Saints defeated the Schoolgirls by 7 goals to nil in the first round of the competition.

St. Andrew's—Miss R. Rose, E. Landolt, G. White, M. Church, J. Wong, J. Wolley, F. Wong, T. Rogers, M. Wolley, I. Gittins and P. Gittins.

C.B.S.—D. Moss; R. Ingram; J. Bryson; L. Hickey; K. Moir, C. Bone; E. Rousseau, L. de Chaffoy, T. Lukeman, H. Knill and I. Kraukle.

## CHAMPIONS NET THIRTEEN TIMES.

Sporting Turn-Out By Recreio "B."

MISS BONNAR AND MISS CHURCHILL SHARE EIGHT GOALS

Defeating the Recreio Ladies "B" eleven at Sookunpoo yesterday by a record score of 13 goals to nil, the Hong Kong Ladies' champions of the Caer Clark Cup hockey competition, obtained their eighth victory in nine games in the competition this season.

The champions scored seven goals in the first half.

The Recreio played reserves, and were very sporting to field a team at all after more than half of the team had failed to turn out. It was obvious that many of the reserves were newcomers to the game and the champions had matters all their own way throughout.

Miss E. Bonnar (4), Miss J. Churchill (4), Miss J. Danziel (3), Miss B. Pope and Mrs. S. Adams netted the goals.

The Hong Kong Ladies' defeated the Recreio "B" by 5 goals to nil in the first round.

### League Table to Date

	P.W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
H. K. Ladies	9	8	1	0	44	17
St. Andrew's	10	8	0	2	35	16
Recreio "A"	7	4	1	2	15	9
C. B. A.	8	3	3	2	14	9
Recreio "B"	9	3	3	3	17	9
C. B. S.	10	1	0	9	42	2
Recreio "C"	0	0	0	0	0	0

Although America has lost her best player, Ellsworth Vines, to professionalism, still think the United States will win the Davis Cup from Great Britain next year. Britain is strong in the singles, with H. W. Austin and F. J. Perry, but this will not make up for her weakness in the doubles.—Bernon Prentice.

## BORDERERS BEAT THE CLUB

### LINCOLNS ESTABLISH SOCCER RECORD

100 PER CENT. MAINTAINED

The Borderers entered the final round of the Senior Soccer Shield competition for the second successive year yesterday as the result of a brilliant victory over the Club by five clear goals. They will meet the winners of this afternoon's semi-final encounter between South China, the holders, and St. Joseph's.

The Lincolns created a record in the annals of local soccer history yesterday when they completed their Third Division fixture list with a 100 per cent. record as the result of a victory by the odd goal in three over the Service Corps.

The Lincolns Second Division team caused a surprise by defeating the Borderers by the odd goal for the runners-up position to South China.

### Senior Shield

## BORDERERS ENTER SHIELD FINAL

Club Concede 5 Goals Without Reply.

RODGER'S GREAT DISPLAY

On the Kowloon Football Ground yesterday afternoon, the South Wales Borderers obtained a decisive victory over the Hong Kong Football Club by five goals to nil to enter the Final of the Hong Kong Senior Challenge Shield.

Against the excellent all-round play of the Regiment's team the Club's determined efforts saved them losing by an even greater margin.

Right from the commencement of the game the Borderers attacked strongly and good defence work by Hynes and Strange provided good football.

Enough credit cannot be given Rodger, whose magnificent display throughout the whole of the game won tremendous applause. He gave a really first-class exhibition of goal-keeping.

Despite strong attacks by the soldiers the Club broke through on various occasions and played good football with some fine passing movements. They did not possess, however, that final touch which is essential to scoring.

### Winner's Early Score

The Borderers worked well together from the start, and Matthias, flashed in a brilliant shot at goal, but it was neatly saved by Rodger. Again the soldiers fought their way up field and his time, 15 minutes after the start, a fine pass to HERBERT gave him the chance to score.

E. Strange handled one pass nicely, but through over-anxiousness he missed an opportunity by shooting over. The soldiers, however, went further ahead from a corner kick which HAZELWOOD converted.

Just after his second goal a really excellent display was given by Rodger, who saved Seale's masterly drive from short range.

Just before the interval the Club looked certain to score when E. Strange broke away, but his shot was spectacularly cleared by Smith in goal.

When play was resumed after the interval it appeared as if the Club were certainly going to have their fair share of the game, the soldiers slackening off very noticeably. How and E. Strange had very hard luck on several occasions in not scoring.

From a corner at the other end by Matthias, which was very neatly placed, the soldiers received an excellent chance and HAZELWOOD placed a glorious shot to give the Borderers the lead by three clear goals.

### Strange Lacks Support

E. Strange maintained his steady and very sure play for the Club, but did not appear to receive all the support he required to enable him to score.

Several of the Club's players were now noticed to be limping, among them being Howe, who had a crooked knee. This was a big

## Yesterday's Football At A Glance:

### CHALLENGE SHIELD—SEMI-FINAL.

BORDERERS 5 CLUB 0

### SECOND DIVISION

LINCOLNS 3 BORDERERS 2

### THIRD DIVISION

LINCOLNS 2 R.A.S.C. 1

\*Engineers v R.A.F. postponed.

\*Radio v University postponed.

### League Tables To Date

### SECOND DIVISION

	P.W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
South China	15	12	0	3	48	24
Lincolns	16	10	3	4	31	23
Borderers	16	10	1	5	45	21
Navy	16	9	3	4	24	21
Artillery	16	7	1	8	28	15
Club	15	6	1	9	25	12
Young Indians	13	4	1	8	21	9
Athletic	14	2	1	11	20	5
Kowloon	15	1	1	13	13	5

### THIRD DIVISION

	P.W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Lincolns	18	18	0	9	77	36
South China	15	10	2	3	29	22
Borderers	15	9	1	5	50	19
Recreio	16	6	3	7	42	15
R.A.M.C.	16	5	4	7	28	14
R.A.S.C.	12	5	3	4	17	11
Radio	13	2	4	7	11	8
Engineers	11	2	3	5	15	7
R.A.F.	15	3	1	11	21	7
University	13	0	3	10	11	2

handicap, and the Club were fortunate to have the services of two worthy backs in the defence in Strange and Fowler. The Borderers now had the game entirely in their hands and Rodger was kept very busy.

A few minutes before the final whistle, Matthias received a grand pass and scored the best goal of the match.

The fifth goal of the game was one of those unfortunate ones. During a struggle in the Club goalmouth, Hazlewood passed the ball across the goalmouth and Hynes, in an endeavour to clear, headed the ball into his own goal.

Borderers—Smith; Morrison, Mulhane; Podmore, Jones, Davies; Matthias, Seale, Herbert, Hazlewood and Dunne.

Club—Rodger; Hynes and S. Strange; L. G. Robertson, Boyd and A. Duncan, A. Denny, G. Hill, A. Howe, E. Strange and F. Fowler.

### SECOND DIVISION.

Lincolns Deserve Two Points.

BORDERERS OUTPLAYED BY GOOD FOOTBALL

### Inside Trio Score

At Sookunpoo yesterday afternoon the Lincolns beat the Borderers by 3 goals to 2.

The Lincolns displayed good football and were worthy winners. Pressing from the commencement the Lincolns kept the Borderers fighting hard in their own half, Toyno and Malpass combining excellently in their passes until a well-placed centre enabled Malpass to open the score for the Lincolns.

The Lincolns continued to press and, shortly after, a mistake by Watkins enabled Toyno to centre for McGuinness to add the second goal for the Lincolns.

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## "DOUBLE" NOT SECURED YESTERDAY

How Betting Went

NO one succeeded in pairing Cavalcade and Bright View in the "double," the betting in which was as follows:

### First Leg

Antanok (4), Cavalcade (1st) (9), Chesterfield (19), Chow Fan (27), City View (53), Classic Hall (310), Co-ship (2), Dare Devil (2), Income Tax (1), In Good Time (8), Ironsides (31), King Willow (123), Kitsap (9), Racing Spirit (15), Skiddaw (1), Soldier of Italy (11), St. Ives (35), Surprise (102), Swastika (1), The Ruddy Sheldrake (9), Tiny Star (29), Utopian (2) and Young Companion (10).

### Second Leg

Autumn Leaf (9), Banquet Hall (9), Bold Marshal (9), Bright View (1st) (9), Brilliant Star (9), Copperfield (9), Ebony Idol (9), Gold Bullion (9), Heart's Glory (9), King's Worthy (9), Lime Light (9), Macaroni (3), Morning Sun (9), Mortmain (9), Oak Bay (4), Racing Pride (9), Racing Triumph (9), Shaugbraun (9), Soldier of Germany (2), Spinaway (9), Sporting Life (9), Sweet Life (9), Tao Tak (9), Vago (9), West Parade (9) and What A Chance (9).

## TWO SHIELD GAMES THIS AFTERNOON

South China To Meet St. Joseph's.

### ARTILLERY PLAYING

What promises to be the outstanding soccer game of the season will take place on the Club ground this afternoon at 4.15 p.m. when South China, holders of the Senior Shield meet St. Joseph's, this year's favourites for the League Championship, for right to meet the Borderers in the Final Round.

The Saints have made two changes in the team which defeated the Lincolns and the Navy, Souza taking Gomes' place at left back while Sabban returns to his original position on the left wing. Costa, who deputised for the latter, has been dropped.

Preceding the Senior Shield game will be the remaining Junior Shield semi-final encounter between, South China "B" and the Artillery.

This game has been fixed to commence at 2.15, owing to the possibility of extra time being called.

### PROBABLE TEAMS

St. Joseph's—Marques; Souza and V. Gonano; R. Marques; Beltrame; F. J. Elms; B. Gonano, A. Ward, D. Leonard, L. Rocha and M. Sabban.

South China—Wong Wing; Li Tin-fang and Lau Mau; Leung In-chun, Leung Wing-chui and Leo Kwok-wai; Yeung Shui-yick, Fung King-cheung, Pau Ka-ping, Tam Kong-pak and Tay Quee-liang.

### JUNIOR SHIELD

Tang Yat-ming; Cheung Kwok-wing and Tang Cheung-pak; Hui Yiu-kwong, Yau Wa-hing and Chu Kit-mun; Cheung Ping-lung, Chu Kwok-lam, Kam Sik-wai, Ng Po-kul and Lee Shek-yau.

Artillery—Wood; Clancy and Price; Morton, Hunt and Scott; Edmunds, Fisher, Hopkins, Rivers and Sell.

## SOCCER PLAYERS FAIL TO APPEAR

F. A. Emergency Committee Meeting Fiasco

The Chinese Athletic second eleven soccer left-winger concerned in last Saturday week's disturbance at Happy Valley, as well as other members of the team, failed to put in an appearance before the Emergency Committee of the H.K.F.A. on Friday evening, and the investigation into the circumstances surrounding the abandoning of the Athletic v Young Indians match, was postponed. The hearing will be resumed on Friday next.

## DOUBLE AGAIN GOES UNBACKED

### HYDROPLANE PAYS \$409 IN TRIAL PLATE

## CHAMPION JOCKEY HOLDS OWN AGAINST SHANGHAI CRACKS

WIN dividends of \$409, \$313, and \$335.50 featured the opening day of the Annual Race Meeting at the Valley yesterday. In addition no one succeeded in nominating the combination of Cavalcade and Bright View for the "double," and the nine backers of the former pony were rewarded with \$390 each—he paid \$313 for a win.

Mr. Paul Botelho registered his seventh win when he brought Dancing Butterfly home to pay a dividend of \$335.50, while Mr. H. P. Chanson was responsible for the dividend of \$313 on Cavalcade in the first leg of the "double." Mr. Benny Proulx then provided the afternoon's sensation by bringing in Hydroplane to pay \$409.

A very small crowd witnessed very keen racing on a track which recovered remarkably well after the recent rains—the sand track was under water. Mr. Frost, the local champion jockey, and Mr. Y. S. Chang and Mr. T. L. Wong, the Shanghai cracks, shared the jockey honours with two wins apiece.

Mr. Dunbar's Rolling Bay looked good in his run up the straight, prior to the start of the second section. No fewer than six of the eighteen starters were left at the gate in a very unsatisfactory start.

Taranto (Mr. S. N. Pan) was the first to get away, but unexpectedly threw his rider, who had a narrow escape from being seriously injured by the oncoming field.

Mr. Woo Tucson's Dancing Butterfly (Mr. Paul Botelho) led all the way round in this race in which the field left the gate one after another, and paid \$335.50 for a win!

Bold Commander (Mr. Pih) filled second place, half a length ahead of The Carp (Mr. T. L. Wong), the favourite. Hell for Leather (Mr. Black) was fourth.

Easy For Soldier Of Britain—An indication of the serious challenge Soldier of Britain is going to offer in the Derby tomorrow was provided in the Maiden Stakes when in a field of 21 starters he won from Electric Star by a neck after being left standing at the gate.

Drawing 20th position in a field of 21 starters Mr. Li Shui Pang's Derby favourite, showed amazing speed in the back straight to secure third place by the time the Rock was reached.

Mr. Sun sent the pony into the lead at the back of the home straight and maintained it despite a very formidable challenge by Electric Star (Mr. Li), who was gaining at every stride at the finish.

Chief Seattle, probably the Dunbar stable's first string candidate in to-morrow's classic, secured third place in front of High Speed (Mr. S. W. Pan), who started well, but failed to last the gruelling pace.

Owing to a misunderstanding on the part of the pony's mafos Mr. C. B. Brown's Fudge was withdrawn from the race. Mr. Black was to have ridden the pony.

H. E. the Governor, Sir William Peel, and Lady Peel arrived during this race, but owing to the excitement of the race their arrival was unheeded.

Fast Australian Race—His Excellency's Nell Gwyn looked a perfect picture in the paddock, but the mare was well beaten by Bronze Era, (Mr. Deitz) who got away to a flying start, and Atlas (Mr. Heard) in the first section of the Sydney Maidens.

It was an exceptionally fast race considering the heaviness of the track, being only a fifth of a second behind the track record of 1.21.2 by Season Ticket and Portia.

Bronze Era, second favourite, ran beautifully, and Bobnuk Star (Mr. Li) also impressed, being in a winning position on the corner in to the home straight, but lacked a good finishing quarter.

Able Amazon's Win—The second section of the Sydney Maidens provided the best start in the first five races, and Able Amazon, the second favourite to win, was fully extended to win in the good time of 1.21.1 from Alacrity (Mr. Charles). The time was actually one-fifth of a second

## DRAW FOR PERTH PLATE ANNOUNCED

Nine Starters In Each Section.

The following is the draw for the two sections of the Perth Plate which will be decided over a mile to-morrow:

First Section—Australian Boy, Dancing Hall, Glorious Star, Just That, Mutiny Bay, Nell Gwyn, Princess Angeline, Saucy Face and The Goosie.

Second Section—Bobnuk Star, Empire Day, Fanning Fox, Plummary, High Finance, Macbeth, Racing Streak, Swan, and Vriday.

## ARMY POINT TO POINT TO-DAY.

Good Entries Received.

Excellent entries have been received for the Army Point-to-Point which is being held at Kwai Race Course this afternoon, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

The following are the events and the ponies entered:—

2.30 p.m., 24th Regimental Race:—Winchester Stag, Tigre, Zephyr, Loch Ness, Sunrise and The Gadwall.

3 p.m., The Navy Race:—Smiling Commander, Pink Gin, Leprachuan, Malakki, Britanni Hall, Devon, Taraborg, Tulla and Celerity.

3.30 p.m., The Open Hunters Race:—Tom Cobley, Orleans, Firefly, The Goosie, Boston, Celerity, Toby, The Bogie, Gagn, Jack o'Lantern, Ike, Tommy, Aircraft, Cherokee, Cuckoo Eyes and Bopara.

4 p.m., The Ladies' Race:—Valeta, Cloudy Eye, Tarnborg, Until Then, Curlew, Skewbald Griffin, No Fear, Golden Star, Gertrude Lawrence, The Dunn, Boukara and Tim.

4.30 p.m., The Ubique Cup:—The Hawk, Esculudo, Wigan, Quail, Beau, Brewer, Duke of Normandy and Tip Top.

China Stakes when Dianna Bay (Mr. Frost) only beat Cossack's Beauty by half a length after getting away to a good start.

Mr. Marshall brought Mr. H. S. Chan's candidate into a challenging position soon after the Rock had been passed, and coming over the home straight he almost overhauled the Dunbar crack, who was beaten for the only time in her career in this same race last year, by Sadko.

King's Bounty, record holder for the distance, secured third place from Charming Star (Mr. Harrison).

Hetman Almost Too Late—Mr. Y. S. Chang recorded the first of his two wins on Hetman in the Old Course Plate after a carefully judged race, though he almost left it too late, Navy Hall (Mr. Li) being only a neck behind at the finish.

Mike, Mayflower, and Bright Star went out into the lead at the start, but all were spent before the incline up to the Rock was reached. Blue Star filled third place and Flying Tourist and Bright Star were fourth and fifth.

Field Of 26 Starters—No spills were provided when the record field of 26 starters got away in the Hopeful Stakes and it came as a big surprise to see Oak Bay, the favourite, placed sixth after a promising start.

Soldier of Germany (Mr. Sun) held a big lead when approaching the corner into the home straight, but showed lack of stamina when both Bright View and Macaroni passed him in the straight. Mr. Wong had the better finish and "Johnnie" Heard was beaten out of what would have been his first and only win.

Mr. Sun's mount was third, followed by Sweet Life, Sporting Life and Oak Bay!

Mr. Chang's Second Win—Messrs. Mackie and Grayburn's Brechin looked in excellent condition when he was taken to the post in the New Stables Plate by Mr. Deitz, but he disappointed, being beaten out of a place.

Trentbridge (Mr. Chang), last year's Derby winner, recorded an easy win after Glenegles, Brechin, and Don had set the pace in the early stages. Sadko gave promise after passing the Rock, but could do no better than take second place and was followed by Glenegles, Brechin, Don, and Jungle Jim.

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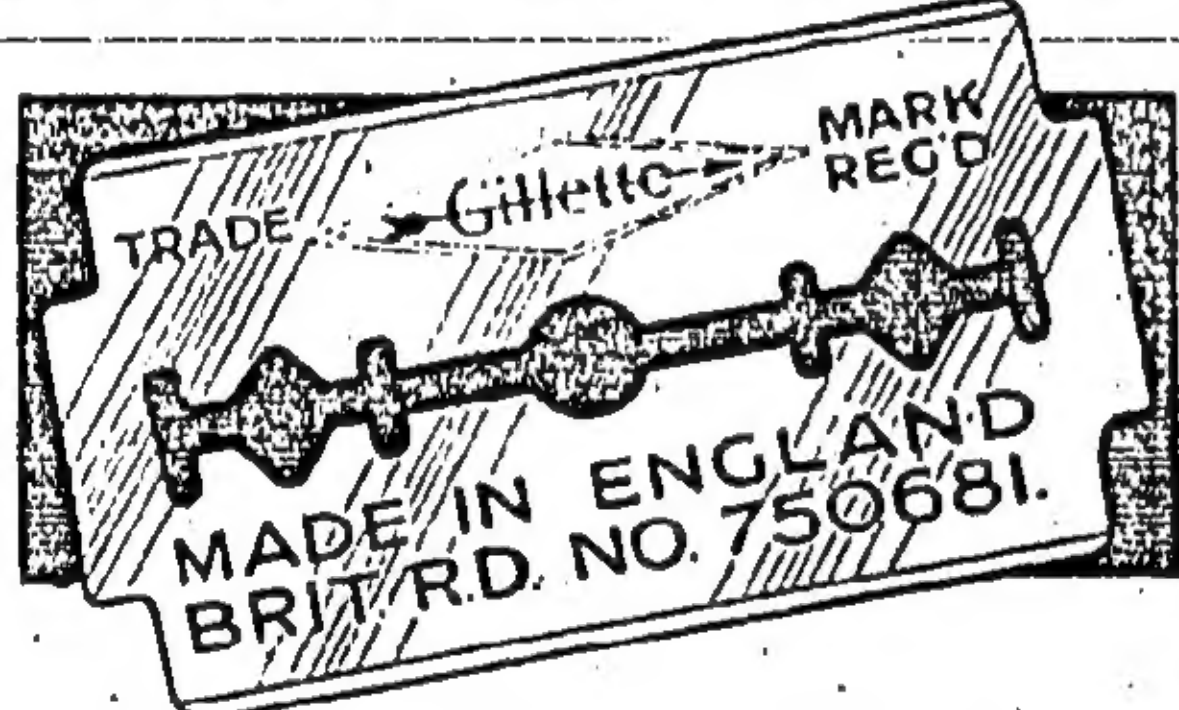
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## K.C.C. TITLE HOPES DASHED

### RICHARDSON SCORES FIRST CENTURY

### UNIVERSITY SUSTAIN BIG DEFEAT

Y. ABBAS HAS 7 FOR 13

THE Kowloon Cricket Club's last hopes of winning the premier league cricket championship were dashed yesterday at the Valley when Craigengower, who required 18 to win with two wickets in hand, held them to a draw. The Club, who are expected to win the title beat the Indians, their closest rivals, by a convincing margin in a friendly game yesterday.

An undefeated century by J. E. Richardson, the first in the premier league this season, gave the Civil Servants their first win when they beat the University, last season's champions, by 10 wickets. Aided by G. R. Sayer (53) Richardson added 145 for the first wicket.

In the junior league Craigengower improved their chances of retaining the championship when they trounced the K.C.C. on their own ground. Y. Abbas returned bowling figures of 7 for 13.

#### Senior League

#### RICHARDSON HITS FIRST CENTURY.

#### Century Partnership With Sayer.

#### CHAMPIONS BEATEN

Set the task of scoring 131 to win, J. E. Richardson (108 not out) and G. R. Sayer (53) gave the Civil Service victory over the University, the champions, by 10 wickets in the premier league at the Valley yesterday when they added 145 runs for the first wicket.

Richardson, who is the first player in the premier league to reach three-figures this season, hit 18 boundaries in his 108, scored out of 182.

This was the Civil Servants first win.

#### University

A. M. Rodrigues, c and b Richardson	38
D. Hunt, c Perry, b Baker	13
P. Power, b Richardson	7
G. Windsor, c and b Richardson	0
D. K. Samy, c Perry, b Simpson	1
H. L. Ozorio, lb.w., b Wallington	11
A. B. Tata, c Barrow, b Baker	7
B. K. Ng, b Baker	26
E. T. Wood, b Richardson	11
G. Abraham, b Simpson	0
P. B. Tata, not out	9
Extras (B.G., L.B.1, N.B.12)	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>130</b>

#### Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Baker	13.1	4	37	3
Sayer	6	1	19	0
Richardson	16	2	27	4
Simpson	9	0	18	2
Wallington	3	0	13	1
Perry	2	0	12	0
Hawkins	1	0	5	0

#### Civil Service

G. R. Sayer, et Ng, b P. B. Tata	53
J. E. Richardson, not out	108
J. Barrow, run out	8
F. Baker, run out	2
Extras (B. 9 L.B. 2)	11
<b>Total (for 3 wkts.)</b>	<b>182</b>
A. E. Perry, H. Wallington, B. C. K. Hawkins, W. Shewan, R. A. Simpson, N. Whitley, V. Benwell	did not bat.

#### Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Wood	15	3	49	0
Ozorio	5	0	22	0
Samy	2	0	19	0
Power	4	0	31	0
P. B. Tata	7	0	50	0

#### CLUB BEAT INDIANS

The Hong Kong Cricket Club beat the Indian Recreation Club by 6 wickets in a friendly game at the H. K. Club yesterday. I.R.C.: 123 (S. A. Ismail 21, T. M. L. Redmond 4 for 25). H.K.C.C.: 150 for 6 (L. D. Kilbee 35, T. A. Pearce 32, I. McInnes 37, F. D. Pereira 4 for 44).

#### CLUB SECOND ELEVEN LOSE

The I.R.C. second eleven beat the Club juniors by 86 runs in a friendly game at Sookunpoo yesterday. I.R.C.: 180 for 3 dec. (K. Nazarin 39, A. R. Kitchell 67, A. A. Ramjahn 34 not out). H.K.C.C.: 108 (C. W. E. Bishop 34, A. A. Ramjahn 3 for 32, M. A. Arculli 3 for 10).

#### PREMIER LEAGUE CRICKET

#### Table To Date

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
H. K. C. C.	3	1	1	1	11
I. R. C.	6	4	0	2	10
C. C. C.	7	2	2	3	9
C. S. C. C.	3	1	2	0	3
Army	4	0	1	3	3
Navy	5	0	3	2	2
University	4	0	3	1	1

#### Senior League

#### TALL SCORING AT VALLEY.

#### R. Lee In Century Partnership.

#### E. F. FINCHER 60 IN BOUNDARIES

Batsmen secured the upperhand in the drawn premier league game between the Kowloon Cricket Club and Craigengower at the Valley yesterday.

E. F. Fincher scored his 75 out of 127 and hit 15 boundaries. He took part in a second wicket stand with C. I. Stapleton that yielded 83 runs.

R. Lee scored his 83 out of 161, hitting 14 boundaries. He and J. L. Youngsaye (32) added 113 for the home team's fourth wicket.

#### Scores:

<b>Kowloon C. C.</b>	
E. C. Fincher, c Abbas, b F. K. Lee	23
C. I. Stapleton, c Zimmern, b R. Lee	34
E. F. Fincher, run out	75
N. A. E. Mackay, not out	32
W. C. Hung, not out	28
Extras (B. 17)	17
<b>Total (for 3 wkts. dec.)</b>	<b>209</b>
F. A. Munn, S. V. Gittins, R. B. Lewis, C. B. R. Sargent, W. Peddle, and H. Overy did not bat.	

#### Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lee	11	1	69	1
F. K. Lee	11	4	40	1
A. T. Lee	6	0	14	0
Zimmern	4	0	34	0
Abbas	1	0	12	0
Youngsaye	2	0	23	0

#### Craigengower

A. T. Lee, c Gittins, b Sargent	9
F. K. Lee, lb.w., b Hung	32
F. R. Zimmern, b Lewis	13
R. Lee, b Lewis	83
J. L. Youngsaye, run out	32
Y. Abbas, b Hung	0
G. Hunt, run out	1
N. Broadbridge, not out	4
G. S. Land, b Lewis	4
Extras (B.12, L.B. 2)	14
<b>Total (for 3 wkts.)</b>	<b>192</b>

#### Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Hung	11	1	48	2
Sargent	9	0	52	1
Lewis	9.4	2	36	2
Fincher	2	0	18	0
Gittins	3	0	24	0

#### VOLUNTEERS CRICKET TEAM

The following will represent the Volunteers in a friendly match against the Hong Kong Cricket Club to-morrow and on Tuesday, commencing at 2 p.m. each day, on the latter's ground:—

A. C. Beck (Captain), F. Baker, E. C. Fincher, R. H. Griffiths, L. D. Kilbee, A. D. Lawson, E. J. R. Mitchell, N. A. E. Mackay, J. E. Potter, F. S. W. Smith and R. T. Talbot.

#### JUNIOR LEAGUE TABLE TO DATE

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
I. R. C.	10	8	1	1	25
Recrelo	10	6	1	3	21
Craigengower	9	6	1	2	20
Navy	7	4	2	1	13
H. K. C. C.	6	3	1	2	11
K. C. C.	8	2	2	4	10
R. A. M. C.	9	3	5	1	10
R. A. S. C.	0	2	5	0	6
R. E.	4	1	3	0	3
University	5	0	3	2	2
Police	7	0	5	2	2
C. S. C. C.	8	0	6	2	2

#### Junior League

#### K.C.C. DISMISSED FOR 29.

#### Y. Abbas 7 For 13. At Kowloon.

#### 96 FIRST WICKET STAND

Magnificent bowling by Y. Abbas (7 for 13) dismissed the K.C.C. juniors for 29 on their own ground yesterday and enabled Craigengower, junior league champions to record their sixth success in the championship.

E. Souza (62 not out) and W. Sparrow (55) added 96 for the champions' first wicket and were in no small way responsible for their side's triumph by 146 runs.

#### Scores:

<b>C. C. C. 2nd XI</b>	
E. Souza, not out	62
W. Sparrow, b Smith	65
T. Yeoh, c & b Dunne	10
F. Broadbridge, b Dunne	3
J. W. Leonard, not out	32
Extras (b 1, lb 3)	3
<b>Total (for 3 wkts. dec.)</b>	<b>175</b>
G. Souza, E. C. G. Barry, S. Abbas, L. Hubbard and W. K. Way did not bat.	

#### Fall of the wickets:—

1	2	3
90	107	111

#### Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Smith	13	2	38	1
Dunne	10	2	34	2
Simcock	4	0	24	0
Lee	7	0	50	0
White	5	0	26	0

#### K. C. C. 2nd XI

P. O. Dunne, c & b Abbas	7
A. A. Dand, lb.w. b Abbas	3
F. S. W. Smith, c Abbas b Sparrow	1
F. E. Lawrence, c Souza b Abbas	3
S. Jex, run out	0
G. Lee, lb.w. b Abbas	0
W. Hyde, at Barry b Abbas	5
D. S. Green, c Hubbard, b Abbas	1
G. A. White, not out	0
E. Simcock, b Abbas	0
Extras (b 9)	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>

#### Fall of the wickets:—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3	12	17	21	21	22	27	27	29

#### Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Sparrow	6	4	2	1
Abbas	8.1	3	13	7
Hubbard	3	2	5	0

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## The Pope Gives An Audience

### Intimate Picture Of The Man Of Many Anxieties And Gracious Personality

By GRACE ELLISON

SINCE my childhood the Vatican has always had a particular fascination for me, partly, no doubt, because my early education was in complete opposition to everything connected with it.

In my student days I listened with enthusiasm to the accounts of friends who had attended the brilliant ceremonies at St. Peter's, and had audiences of the Pope.

I met nuns and priests who, before starting their sacred calling, had gone as a matter of faith and duty to visit their spiritual Chief. I met rulers and high functionaries who went to pay homage to the Sovereign Pontiff; sick people who visited the Pope in thankfulness for a recovery after a serious illness. Then there were the pilgrims, who came, as they are doing this year, from the other end of the earth to obtain a Papal blessing. Last, but not least, I met many brides—(This year the Italian Government presents them with their fare)—who considered that the Papal audience was the best possible start in their new life.

**First Meeting With Pope Pius XI**  
 Thus an audience of the Pope becomes an act of faith, duty, homage, thankfulness—curiously, perhaps, with some. And after all it is as natural for any practising Catholic to visit the Pope as it is for children to go to their parents.

My own audiences of the Pope are so different from those of other people that it is difficult to class them. My first meeting with the present Pope Pius XI, will always be to me a deep and lasting memory. It was in 1922. I was en route for Angora, waiting in Rome till some way could be found for me to slip over to Smyrna.

The journey was not easy, and in those dreadful days travellers, like boats, were few and far between. My luggage, registered from Paris to Rome, had been opened en route, and my coat and warm clothes extracted and replaced by stones. This abominable practice has ceased entirely since the advent of Mussolini to power.

To cross a country like Asia Minor in mid-winter, and to sleep in a temperature well below zero, was not an easy feat. I had therefore to supply myself with extra faith and courage, so I asked for an audience of the Pope.

Although I came with a letter from the late Cardinal Cerretti to the Cardinal Secretary of State, I did not for moment imagine I could be of any interest to his Holiness, except as one member of a large crowd. On the contrary, the Pope expressed a desire to see the Englishwoman who was going to Angora all alone, when England seemed on the brink of breaking off relations with Turkey.

**A Message To The Ghazi.**  
 Why was I going? How was it possible that the Turks would allow me, not only to go to Angora, but to see the Ghazi? I had to explain that my interest in Turkey did not date from 1922.

Ten years earlier I had gone out to help the Turkish women organise a feminist movement, and my articles, published in *The Daily Telegraph*, were translated into Moslem languages, and made me a friend of the Moslems. I knew that wherever there were Moslems I was safe, so that my journey to Angora was not as reckless as might have been supposed.

Even in the days of Turkish misrule the Turks had always been my friends. I had been through one war, and hoped never to see another. The Pope was intensely interested in all I could tell him, particularly as he had a message to send to Ghazi Mustafa Kemal, which he entrusted to me. He was much relieved that a Christian woman was undertaking this journey, and did not attempt to conceal his anxiety for the Christians left at the mercy of the Turks should trouble break out.

**When War Divides Christendom**  
 The Pope's anxiety, in spite of his faith, was a great revelation to me, and showed me something of the terrible position in which a Pope must stand when his "children" of many races go to war.

At such times he is no longer an Italian, but the Father of Christendom. Day and night he is haunted by the horror of knowing

that one Christian nation is fighting another, and he must seek some way of stopping it. But what can he do? The terrible strain of this situation killed Benedict XV. The Germans accused him of being pro-Ally, and we accused him of being pro-German, whilst the truth was he was just Pope.

I said to myself at this audience of the year 1922: If a Pope is as deeply moved as is Pius XI at the thought of Christians and Moslems possibly coming into conflict, what must it be for a Pope when Christian nations go to war with one another!

The Pope received me in what appeared to be the last of the nine rooms. I passed by room after room, crowded with congregations of nuns and priests and pilgrims, all waiting for the Holy Father's blessing, until I came to the fifth room. This is the ante-chamber, and there I waited, after what had seemed a long wait, until I was taken by courteous chamberlains to other rooms, and finally by the Papal Master of Ceremonies into the presence.

**Pope Has Visited England**  
 The Pope was clad in a simple white soutane. He wore a thick gold chain and a large cross attached to the third button of his soutane. His red leather shoes were embroidered with gold. A simple, dignified figure he looked; I recall that I preferred him in this dress rather than in all his Papal magnificence.

The Pope, in spite of his strenuous life, and particularly in this present jubilee year, looks much younger than his age. Unless one knew, one would scarcely believe he was 78.

He has particularly beautiful hands and his ring is a sapphire surrounded by diamonds. If only he could wear the Fisherman's Ring! He is of medium height, not too stout, has a clear voice and speaks the cultured, simple Italian that is easy for foreigners to understand, but what strikes one most are his particularly intelligent and kind eyes. He has a deep affection for England, which

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The photographer looked thoughtful.

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She looked at him in surprise. "O, but you'll be able to see that when you take his hat off," she blandly replied.

### Discretion

Gerie: "I can read your cousin Alfred like a book."  
 Bertie: "Well, if you take my advice, you'll skip some of the chapters."

### Too True

Sandy: "Well, Meg, so you're on gaged to young Alexander. I congratulate ye. That young man has always seemed to me a fellow of rare gifts."

Meg: "He is that. He's only gied me one present in six months."

### Dropping A Brick

Larry: "That was a plain girl you were with yesterday."  
 Harry: "Yes, but don't mention it to the wife."

Larry: "Aha, a secret, eh?"  
 Harry: "Not at all. I was with her mind he might as well stop the wife."

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"Not at all," explained Black. "I'm studying the wine list."

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Bobby: "Please, Miss—I wasn't me that ate the jam."

**What's In A Name**  
 Footle: "I say, that Smith girl says you're a bit of a bird, what?"

Miss Snipp: "Well, I do seem to drop in for the worms, sometimes, what?"

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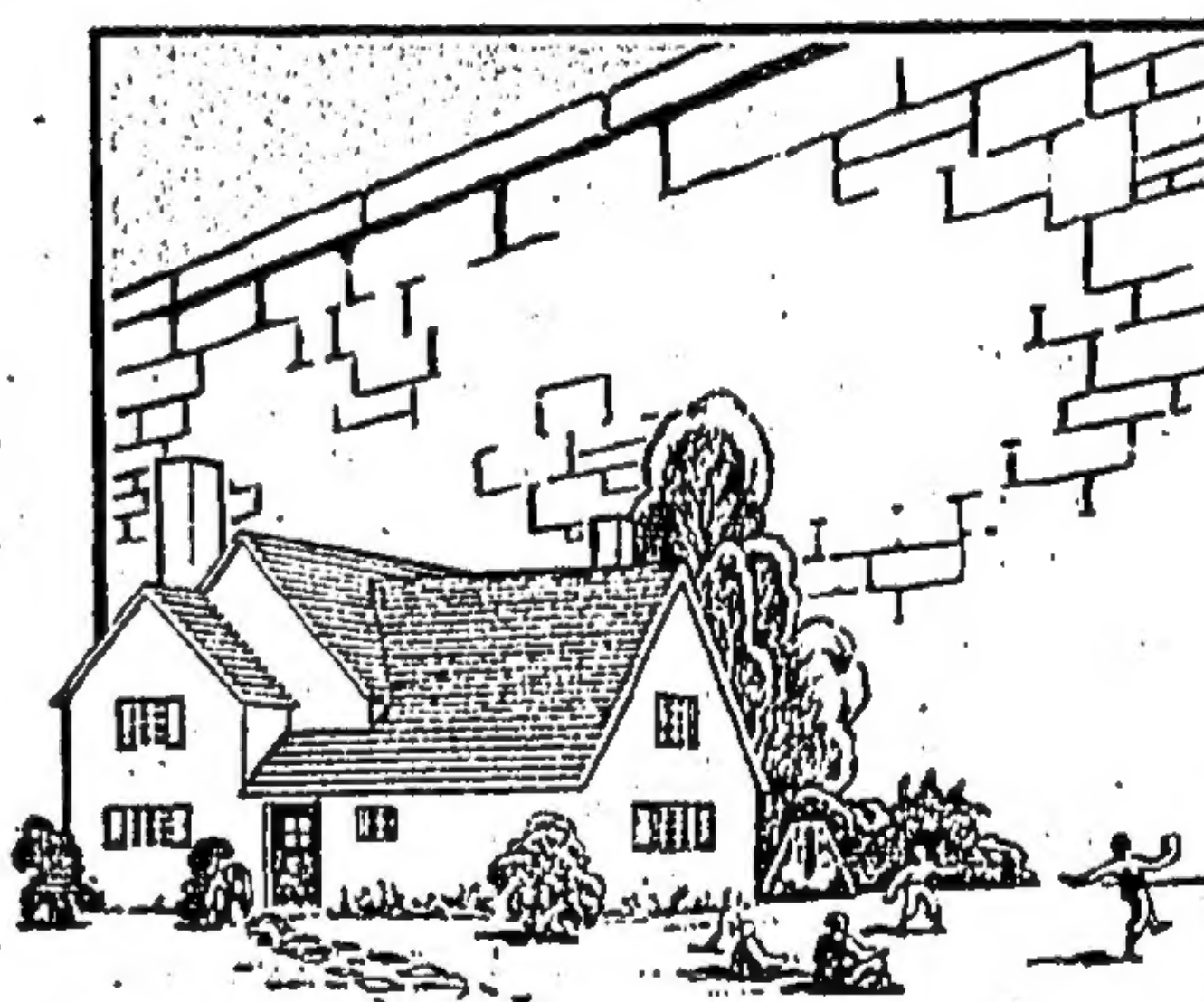


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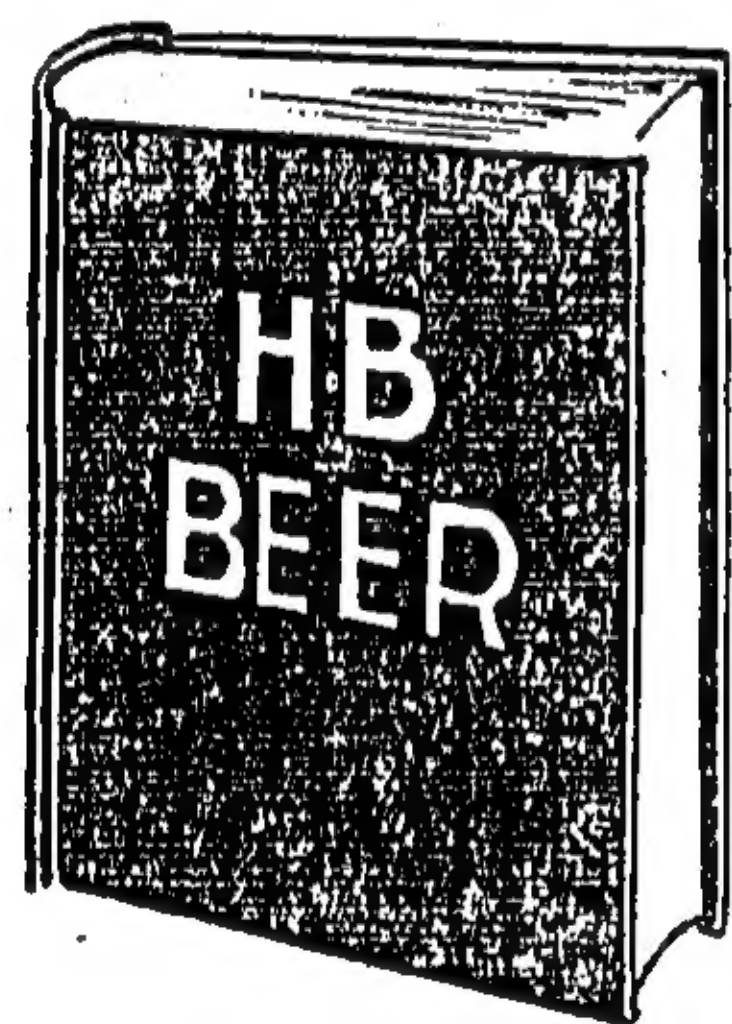
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river and drown him, while  
on a fishing trip.

The jury brought in a verdict  
of guilty as charged and it au-  
tomatically carries the death  
penalty.

The negro servant, Loys  
Richardson, said in an alleged  
confession, that Mrs. Purvis  
promised him a new suit and a pair  
of shoes to "get rid of her hus-  
band." He is also charged with  
murder, but has not yet been  
tried.

Lawyers of Mrs. Purvis an-  
nounced that an appeal would be  
taken to the State Supreme  
Court.—Reuter.

### ESTATE SOLD AFTER 850 YEARS

#### Elizabethan Mansion And 760 Acres.

England.  
Drakelowe Estate, near here,  
has been sold by Sir Robert Gros-  
ley, 11th Bart., and thus passes  
out of the hands of his family,  
which has held it for more than  
850 years, since the Norman Con-  
quest.

There have been 23 generations  
of Grosleys since the land came  
into their possession.

With the estate of 760 acres has  
been sold to Drakelowe Hall, an  
Elizabethan mansion, and the  
total price was £12,500.—Reuter.

### THE POPE GIVES AUDIENCE

(Continued from Page 6).

he visited—before he became Pope,  
and knows well, and it was with  
emotion that he welcomed the  
forty-ninth pilgrimage from Eng-  
land since the beginning of the  
Holy Year.

In spite of the Pope's superhu-  
man energy, he says it is the  
prayers of his "children" which  
keep him going. He rises at five  
and retires very late, and he must  
be, although he never owns it, very  
tired. There is no chance of his  
ever resting. Imagine what the  
strain must be upon a Pope to  
pontificate at many ceremonies  
with the eyes of the world upon  
him, and when time serves is re-  
ceiving Cardinals and Archbishops  
and exalted personages from all  
over the world almost all day  
long.

Then there is also the business  
of the Vatican which needs atten-  
tion, and which he always must  
direct, with the help of the Car-  
dinal Secretary of State.

In Touch With Modern Life  
As an international figure the  
Pope is very keenly interested in  
all international questions. His  
entourage tell me that he has a  
tendency to prolong audiences that  
interest him, whereas they would  
prefer to see him have his meal.  
He keeps in touch with all modern  
thought. He is a strong Head of  
the Church.

Everything connected with the  
Vatican interesting, for even so  
small an item as the removing of  
one's gloves is symbolic. It is a  
reminder of the days when Pope's  
lives were threatened by people  
with daggers in their gloves.

The Vatican authorities are very  
careful about the dress for an  
audience. In spite of the little de-  
sign they send you, showing you  
how to wear your veil and the  
necessary length of your black  
dress, and your obligation to wear  
a high neck and long sleeves, a  
sister comes to inspect you, and  
if you show your neck or arms or  
indulge in scent or conspicuous  
make-up, she sends you back.

It seems incredible that people  
cannot follow the rules on these  
occasions. I never mind waiting  
in the Vatican, for there is always  
so much to see—tapestries, fres-  
coes, priceless gifts from all over  
the world, and there is an atmos-  
phere which is unique and indis-  
criminate.

I have seen the Holy Father at  
his own private Mass, to which it  
is a great honour to be invited; I  
have seen him blessing his peo-

## RADIO

### TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be  
broadcast to-day from the Hong  
Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W.,  
on a wave length of 365 metres  
(845 K.C.'s):—

10.30-11.30 a.m.—A relay of the Ser-  
vice from the Union Church.  
Preacher—The Rev. Dr. E. L. Allen.  
Order of Service.

Voluntary  
Hymn—"The God of Abraham Praise"  
Invocation & Lord's Prayer.  
Hymn—"The Thousand Times, Ten  
Thousand"

Scripture Reading  
Hymn—"The Lord's my Shepherd"  
Prayer

Anthem—"God Sends the Night"  
Offertory  
Offertory Prayer

Hymn—"Jesus Shall Reign"  
National Anthem  
Benediction.

11.30 a.m.-12 noon—Chinese record-  
ed programme.

12-12.45 p.m.—A relay from the Hop  
Yai Church.

12.45-2.30 p.m.—European recorded  
programme.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Re-  
port.

2.30 p.m.—Close Down.  
Pianoforte Recital from the Studio.

4.30-7 p.m.—Chinese recorded music.  
7-10 p.m.—European programme.

7-10 p.m.—Dance Numbers.  
Fox Trot

Mother of Pearl—Every Woman  
Thinks She Wants to Wander

Tango—  
Mother of Pearl—When Anybody  
Plays or Sings

Fox Trot—  
I Cover the Waterfront  
In a Second Hand Store

Waltz—  
Play, Fiddle Play

Tango—  
Tonight Give me an Hour of Love

Fox Trot—  
Learn to Croon  
Noonstruck.

7.25-8.42 p.m.—A Concert.  
8 p.m.—(Local Time & Weather Re-  
port).

Orchestral—  
Don Giovanni—Overture (Mozart)  
State Orchestra, Berlin, conducted  
by Dr. Leo Blech.

Song—  
The Admiral's Broom (Bevan)  
A Jovial Monk Am I  
(La Poudre)—Andran

Pianoforte Solo—  
Gigue (From Fifth French Suite)  
(Bach)

Jeau, Joy of Man's Desiring (Bach)  
Myra Mess.

Song—Thais  
L'Amour est une vertu rare  
(Massenet)

Dis-moi que je suis Belle (Massenet)  
Maryse Beaujon (Soprano)

Orchestral—Carmen  
(Bizet)—Prelude to Act 1.

(Bizet)—Entr'acte, Act 4  
Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra  
directed by Leopold Stokowski.

Instrumental—  
Quartet in G Major—1st movement  
—Adagio—Allegro (Mozart)

Capet String Quartet.  
Song—  
Outward Bound ("Songs of the Sea")  
(Stanford)

Drake's Drum ("Songs of the Sea")  
(Stanford)

Orchestral—  
Apollon Musagete—Ballet  
(Stravinsky)—Apollo, Lead of  
the Muses

Boston Symphony Orchestra under  
the direction of Serge Koussevitzky.

Instrumental—Passepied  
(Handel)—Havens

(Albert Sammons (Violin) and  
Lionel Tertis (Violin))

Orchestral—Choral Prelude—Christ  
lay in the Bonds of Death (Bach,  
arr. Stokowski)

Leopold Stokowski & the Philadel-  
phia Orchestra.

Fugue in G Minor (Bach, arr.  
Stokowski)

Leopold Stokowski & the Philadel-  
phia Orchestra.

8.42-9 p.m.—Concerto in D for  
Violin and Orchestra (Tchaikowsky,  
Op. 35)

Bronislaw Huberman and the  
Berliner Staatskapelle conduct-  
ed by Steinberg.

9-9.30 p.m.—From the Studio:  
A Pianoforte Recital by Mrs. Luba  
Shaftain of French and Spanish  
Modern Compositions

1. (a) En Promenade  
(b) Des Soldats Approchent  
(c) La Village Dolt  
(d) Le Marche  
(e) Sentimental  
(f) La Fete  
(g) Le Retour (Turina)

2. Jota Aragonesa (Albeniz)  
3. Arabesque No. 1 (Debussy)  
4. Alborado del Gracioso (Ravel)

9.30-10 p.m. (Approx.)—A Relay  
from KZRM Radio Manila, should re-  
ception prove unsatisfactory there  
will be recorded music broadcast from  
the Studio.

ple; I have seen him pontificate  
at a High Mass; at a Canonisa-  
tion and a Beatification.

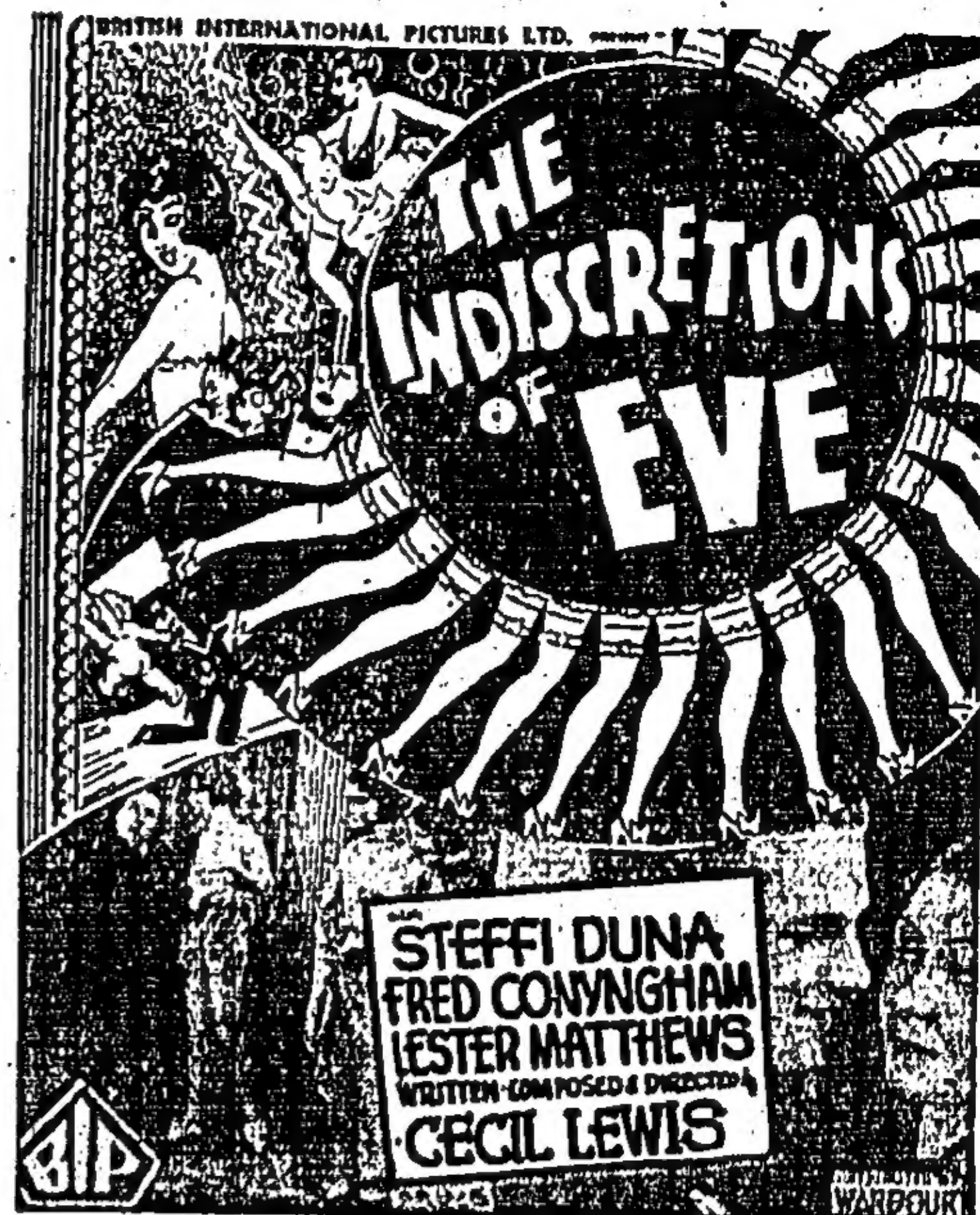
The Pontiff's Crowded Life  
I have talked European politics  
with the Pope; I have seen him  
busily working at the foundations  
for the new Vatican City; I have  
seen him now receiving his "child-  
ren" from all over the world,  
counting his forces and measuring  
their strength for the titanic  
struggle which has to be waged be-  
tween Rome and Moscow.

One hour spent with the pil-  
grims brings convincing evidence  
of what a vast organisation, and  
world force the Vatican is. But I  
always think of the Pope as I saw  
him on the first occasion, ordering  
the prayers to be doubled for the  
safety of his "children."

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### TUESDAY



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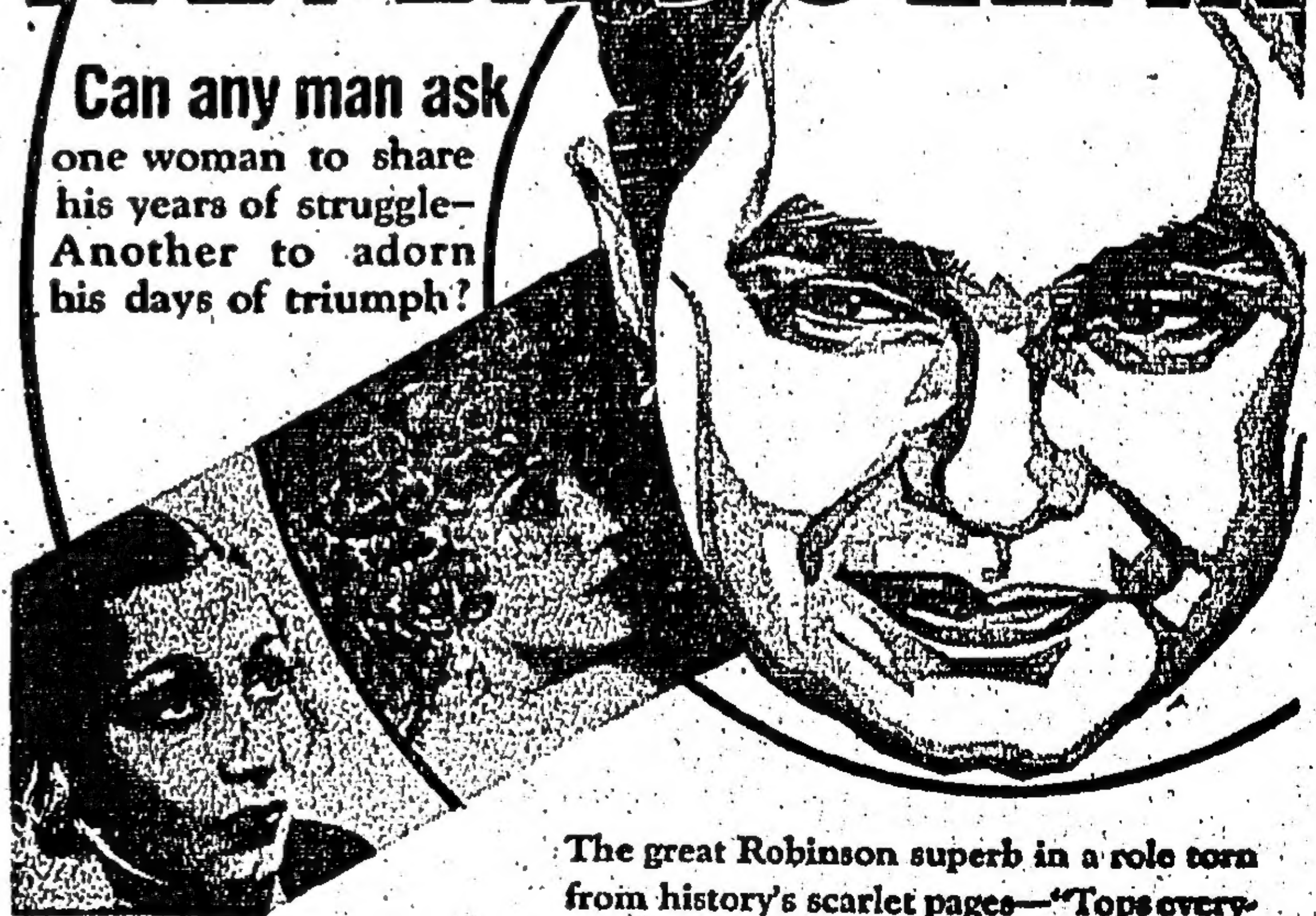


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### "Codex Sinaiticus."

THE *Codex Sinaiticus*, recently acquired by the British Museum from the Soviet Government, is one of the most important of all books as well as one of the priceless treasures of the Christian Church, because it and the *Codex Vaticanus* (at Rome) are the primary authorities for the true text of the Bible. The very fact that it is existent is little short of miraculous. Prior to the fourth century of our era papyrus was used for writing on, and the only hope of preserving literary masterpieces lay in the laborious method of successive copying by hand, for papyrus, almost as strong as good paper when new, soon becomes brittle and friable. Hence one principal reason why so many of the Greek and Latin classics are lost to us.

The discovery and acquiring of this famous manuscript reads like fairy romance, but space admits of only a prosaic outline here. In 1844 a great German bible scholar, Tischendorf, while searching for manuscripts visited the ancient monastery of St. Catherine, hidden away in the terrifying, desiccated Sinai region on the spot where Moses is reputed to have received the two tablets which contained the commandments. In the library of the monastery Tischendorf chanced to observe a wastepaper basket containing old parchments. He examined these and, to his joy, found them to be a very old copy of Old Testament writings. He almost wept when he learned that these were used to light the fire and that two large heaps of similar manuscripts had already been burned. He got permission to take the remaining parchments away, but when the monks saw his excitement, and how carefully he wrapped up their "wastepaper," they allowed him to take only one third of what remained. As he went away with his treasure he rebuked the monks for their wanton destruction of holy writings, begged them to burn no more, and returned to Leipzig. The forty-three leaves thus rescued from the burning can be seen to-day in Leipzig Museum.

Tischendorf then set to work through diplomatic channels to secure the remainder of the manuscripts, but the monks, sensing the importance of their former fire-lighters, refused to negotiate.

Happily in 1859 Tischendorf's studies brought him once more to St. Catherine's, and the third time proved to be lucky. This time he was armed with credentials from no less a person than the Tsar of Russia, Head of the Greek Church. His mission looked like being again abortive and he was about to depart when a monk casually mentioned that he, the monk, had a copy of the Septuagint, and showed the agitated Tischendorf an old manuscript wrapped in red cloth. It was the very thing the scholar had been searching for and dreaming about for fifteen years. Not only was the remainder of the Bible there but also the rest of the sheets from the wastepaper basket. His warning to the monks had had effect.

After transcribing the whole 110,000 lines of the parchment Tischendorf persuaded the Prior to present the original to his great protector, the Tsar, whence it found its way to the St. Petersburg Museum. The monastery received about nine thousand roubles compensation.

And now the historic vellum volume reposes in London. It is said that the Soviet Government offered it to Dr. Rosenbach, the famous American collector, for £250,000. Britain has secured it for two fifths that sum. The British Government will contribute to the purchase price one pound for every pound subscribed by the public, and an appeal for contributions has been issued by the Director of the British Museum. Many are asking if such expense is justified in these times of depression. Bibliophiles and most scholars think Britain has got a bargain and declare that the new acquisition is one of the Museum's greatest possessions, comparable to the Rosetta Stone and the Elgin Marbles. They also avow that by having this manuscript, as well as the *Codex Alexandrinus*, London will become the world's centre for the reverent and scholarly study of the Bible.

### BIRTH

LEE.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lee, at the War Memorial Nursing Home, on Wednesday, February 21, a daughter. Mother and child doing well.

### GOVERNMENT HOUSE FUNCTIONS

#### Many Social Activities During Week.

The social activities of His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., and Lady Peel, and the Government House functions for the week ending Saturday, are shown in the following official communiqué issued from Government House, yesterday, Sunday, February 18.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel, attended by Captain Walter, were present at the Race Meeting of the Fanling Hunt and Race Club at Kwanti.

Monday, February 19.  
Captain R. F. Walter, R.A., A.D.C., representing His Excellency the Governor, called upon Mr. H. Van der Straeten, Consul General for Belgium in Hong Kong, to express His Excellency's sincere condolences on the death of His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

Tuesday, February 20.  
His Excellency and Lady Peel, attended by Mr. Pilcher and Captain Walter, were the guests of His Excellency Major-General O. C. Borrett, C.B., etc., and Mrs. Borrett at dinner.

Wednesday, February 21.  
His Excellency, attended by Mr. Pilcher, was the guest at dinner of the Right Reverend The Bishop of Victoria and Mrs. Hall.

Thursday, February 22.  
The following lunched at Government House:—

The Right Reverend The Bishop of Victoria and Mrs. Hall, the Right Reverend Bishop and Mrs. Mosher, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lauder, Captain C. M. Blackman, D.S.O., R.N., the Right Reverend the Bishop of Singapore, the Right Reverend the Bishop of Labuan and Sarawak.

The Honourable Sir A. M. Cadogan, K.C.M.G., Lady Theodosia Cadogan, H.E. Major-General and Mrs. O. C. Borrett, the Right Reverend the Bishop of Victoria and Mrs. R. C. Hall, H.H. Mr. Justice and Mrs. A. D. A. MacGregor, Mr. and Mrs. M. Phillips, Commodore and Mrs. F. Elliott, Lady Thomson, the Hon. Sir Thomas and Lady Southern, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Alabaster, the Hon. Mr. A. R. Wood, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Henderson, the Hon. Sir Henry and Lady Pollock, the Hon. Sir Shouson Chow, the Hon. Sir William Shenton, H.H. Mr. Justice and Mrs. J. R. Wood, the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. C. G. S. Mackie, the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Sir William Hornell, C.I.E., Mr. V. M. Grayburn, Mr. W. H. Bell, Miss Cadogan, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Pelham, Paymaster-Commander F. R. Porter, R.N., Captain F. R. L. Mears, A.D.C.

Friday, February 23.  
His Excellency and Lady Peel, attended by Captain Walter, were present at the Memorial Service to His Majesty The King of the Belgians at St. Joseph's Church.

His Honour Mr. Justice and Mrs. J. R. Wood arrived at Government House.

Mr. T. Hughes and Mr. J. C. Richardson, dined at Government House.

Saturday, February 24.  
His Honour Mr. Justice and Mrs. Wood left Government House.

### COOLIE FATALLY INJURED.

Bale Of Cargo Falls  
On His Legs.

Ng Kwan, a wharf coolie residing at Tulko Street, died at the Kowloon Hospital yesterday evening as a result of injuries sustained to his legs while working cargo in the hold of the s.s. President Grant, at the Kowloon Wharf.

The deceased was standing below a bale of cargo, which fell on his legs, severely injuring him. He was taken to the Kowloon Hospital by ambulance but died from his injuries and from shock.



HONG KONG AND THE NEW TERRITORIES. — No. 93.

### The Little Spotted Civet.

A mature female was shot at Sal Kung on 20 February and sent to us for identification and comments. It proved to be a specimen of *Viverricula malaccensis malaccensis* (Gmelin), the Little Spotted Civet Cat.

In Notes No. 88 we stated that confusion existed in Hong Kong in regard to the Civets and Ferret Badgers. The Carnivora contains four sections namely the Cats, Dogs, Bears and Seals. In the first section are families containing the Cats, the Civets, the Aard Wolf and the Hyenas. The Civets differ from the Cats in that they have longer faces and have more cheek teeth; never less than 3 premolars and 2 molars on each side of upper and lower jaws. In the genera of Asiatic Civets the body is long, the limbs short, each foot possesses 5 toes with semi-retractile claws; the coat is long, shaggy, grey with black spots or stripes.

According to R. Swinhoe (P. Z. S. 1870) there are three Civets that may occur in the Colony. 1. *Viverra zibetha*, the Indian Civet, "Common in the bamboo-covered hills of South China, from Canton to near Shanghai." 2. *Viverricula malaccensis*, the Little Spotted Civet, "Common in South China." 3. *Paguma larvata*, the Gem-faced Civet, "This tree-loving species is found in the hills of the Kwangtung and Fukien Provinces." The Indian Civet can be recognised by its black collar, length up to 32 inches plus tail 18 inches.

The Civet or Civet-cat can be separated from the Ferret-badger or Tree-civet by these characteristics. The Civet has hairy soles like those of a cat and claws on fore and hind feet similar; the Tree-civet has naked soles and the claws of the fore feet are much longer than those of the hind feet.

The body of this Little Spotted Civet was 21½ inches and the tail another 13 inches in length; it weighed 6½ pounds. The tail was ringed with 8 dark rings alternating with white or buff-tinted rings. This species can be recognised by (1) absence of black collar, (2) presence of alternate dark and light rings on the tail, (3) a dark strip extending along each side of the neck from just behind the ear, (4) feet dark brown. A complete description will not be given in these Notes till at least one other specimen has been obtained. We are informed that this Civet lives largely on birds and that the larger India Civet lives principally on fruits. Further specimens and information about these interesting carnivores would be appreciated.

Those Holes.  
Our description in the last Notes of the hole under the Sha Tin Pass and the two on the bank was not very clear. The holes are holes in the ground and their roofs are level with the ground level, they are in no respect built up structures. A correspondent has suggested that they may be kilns similar to those near Tolo Harbour and Starling Inlet in which coral is burnt to be converted into lime. There is plenty of coral in the local seas and the kilns at Starling Inlet are in fairly constant use. But these holes are not lime kilns for no one would carry coral a thousand and more feet up the hillside in order to burn it. (We omitted to mention the altitude of these holes.)

At least three other people have mentioned to me that they may be ancient charcoal ovens. This explanation is very likely the true one but the kilns must be very old for there is not, and has not been for some considerable time, enough wood in the vicinity of these kilns to provide the necessary fuel. Charcoal kilns, like coral-lime kilns, are never constructed far from the source of the heaviest material employed. If charcoal ovens their construction must have been somewhat as follows. A bank has been chosen and a hole cut into the side of it, the wood is then arranged in the hole completely filling it, the whole is then covered with soil to a depth of a foot or more except for a small chimney. The wood is fired. At the end of the burning the kiln is broken into from the side and the charcoal removed, the earth at the top being baked hard forms a very durable roof over what is now a hole in the bank. We await confirmation of this possible explanation; if correct then it provides additional evidence to support the supposition that the local hillsides were once covered with woodland. Incidentally there is a similar hole in the bank near Tai Tam reservoir and I am informed that in the construction of Aberdeen reservoir one or more such "holes" were discovered.

### NEW GUINEA CANNIBALS SUBJUGATED

#### White Man's Triumph On Mussau Island.

#### MISSIONARY'S ADVENTURES

Sydney, N. S. W.  
A story of the subjugation of a cannibal people was told by Captain D. McLaren, Superintendent of the Seventh Day Adventist Mission in New Guinea, who visited Sydney recently.

A little south of the Equator is the island of Mussau, where 2,000 natives live. When the New Guinea Administration officers went to the island after the war the natives were a fierce and cannibalistic people.

When Captain McLaren first visited the island a few years ago, he met with a hostile reception. Fierce natives, naked except for a few shells hung from their waists, met his party on the beach flourishing 10-foot spears.

Captain McLaren was forced to withdraw from the island and he returned some time later, when he managed to win the confidence of the natives. He gave them presents, among the most prized of which were bottles which could be broken and the pieces used as razors.

"Now the natives," he said, "are more or less peaceful. Most of them attend church, although some of them still refuse to wear trousers, even to church."

The Seventh Day Adventist missionary is the only white man on the island. Captain McLaren, who is the master of the missionary schooner, has visited the island several times since the mission station was established.

Captain McLaren came to Sydney with Mr. Graham Mirfield, who is suffering severe injuries of the spine and head.

Mr. and Mrs. Mirfield were in a plane flying over their plantation at Rainau, twenty-five miles from Rabaul, when it crashed.

The pilot escaped, Mrs. Mirfield was killed instantly, and her husband was unconscious for three weeks.

The captain, an old friend of Mr. Mirfield, left him in the care of a Macquarie Street specialist—Routor.

### MR. J. R. WOOD FAREWELLED.

#### Retires After 34 Years In H.K.

Mr. J. R. Wood, former Puisne Judge and Acting Chief Justice, and Mrs. Wood were farewelled by members of the Supreme Court and other friends at Statue Pier at 11.15 a.m. yesterday.

Mr. Wood, who is retiring after 34 years in Hong Kong, left for Home by the Ravelpindi.

The new Chief Justice, His Honour, Mr. Justice A. D. A. MacGregor, K.C., arrived in the Colony on Thursday last by the P. and O. liner, s.s. Chitral, accompanied by his wife.

### THE RECORD FOR TWINS?

Pana, (Illinois).  
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| 108—Lazy Mary will You Get Up?           | The Bird Band                         |
| Ten Little Indians                       | 138—Ten Little Darkies                |
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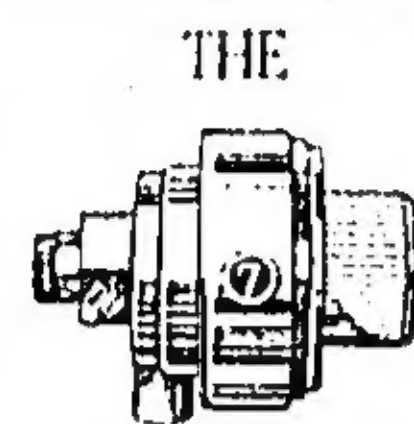
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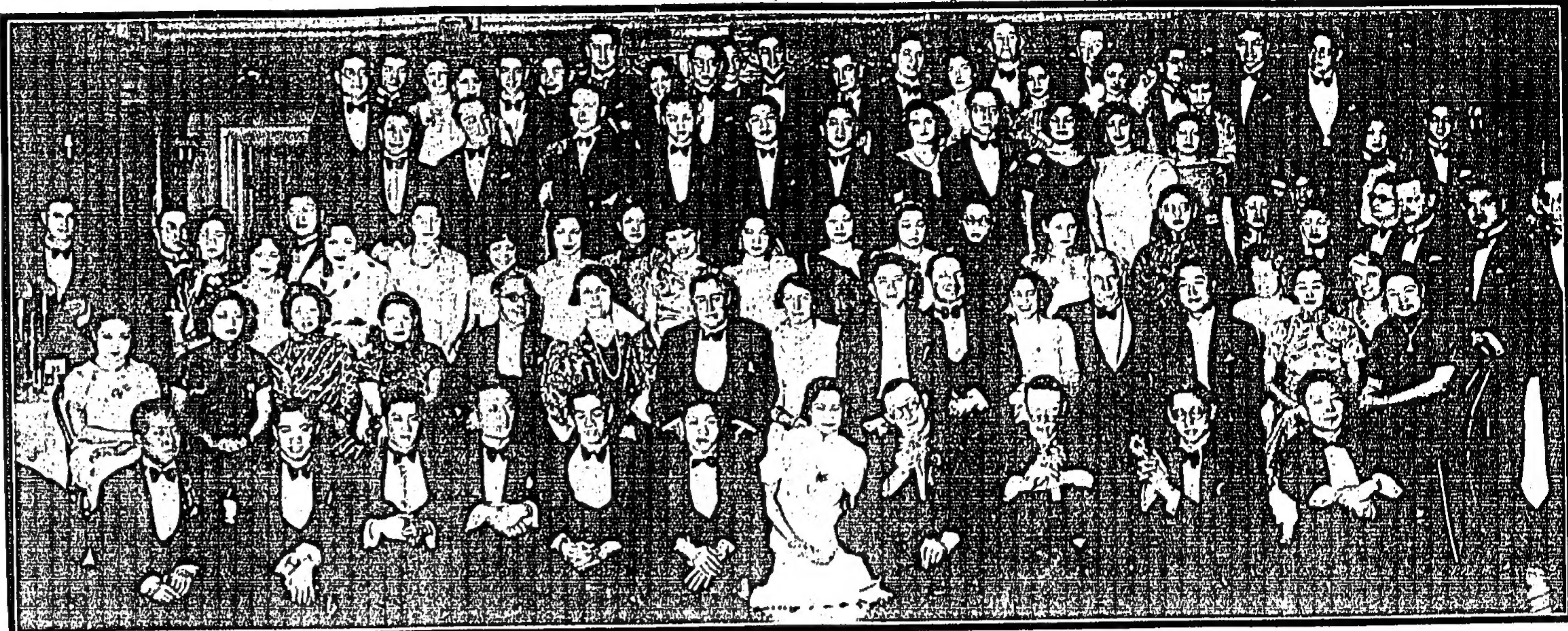
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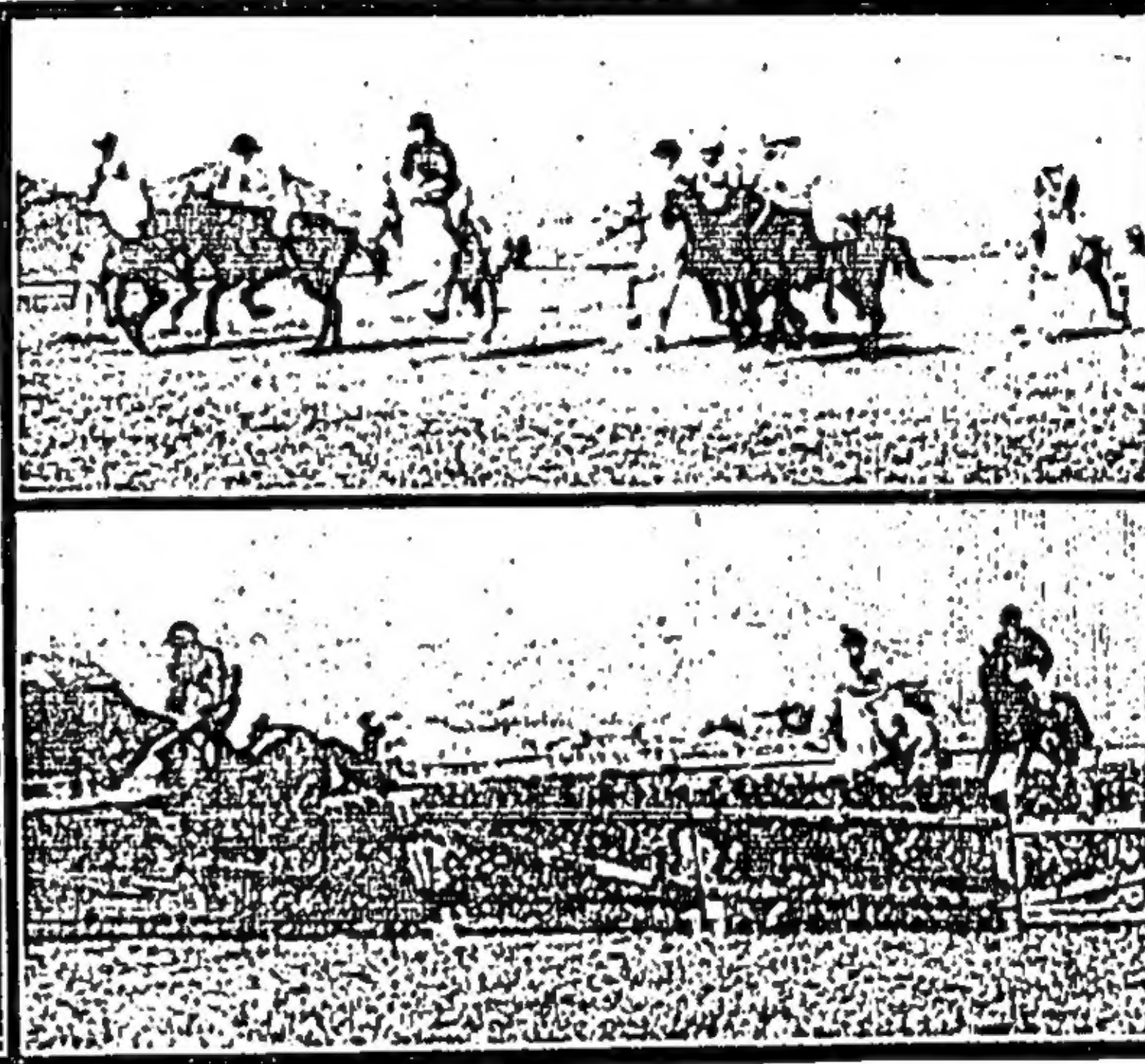
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A group taken at the annual dinner and dance, at Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden, of the Hong Kong University Medical Faculty, on February 19.



Incidents at the Fanling Hunt and Race Club meeting at Kwantl last Sunday. (Left) Kobibel, Mr. A. J. Jones up, being led in after the Canberra Steeplechase. (Upper right) The start of the Ladies' Mile. (Lower right) A close field.



Miss Pearl Buck, the novelist, who recently visited the Colony.



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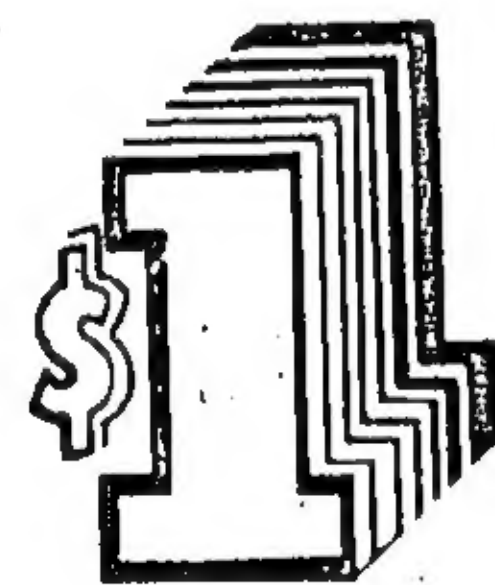
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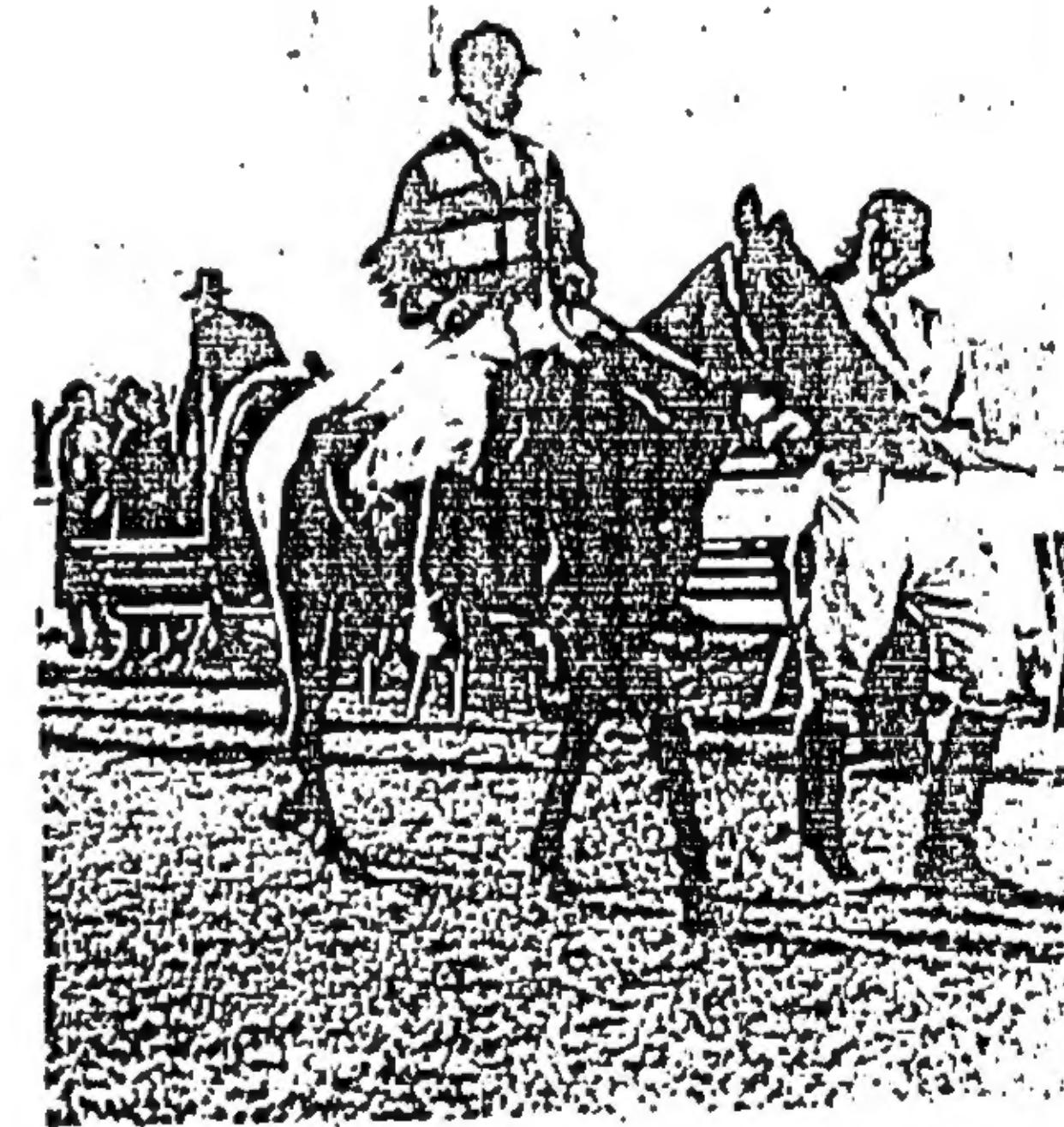
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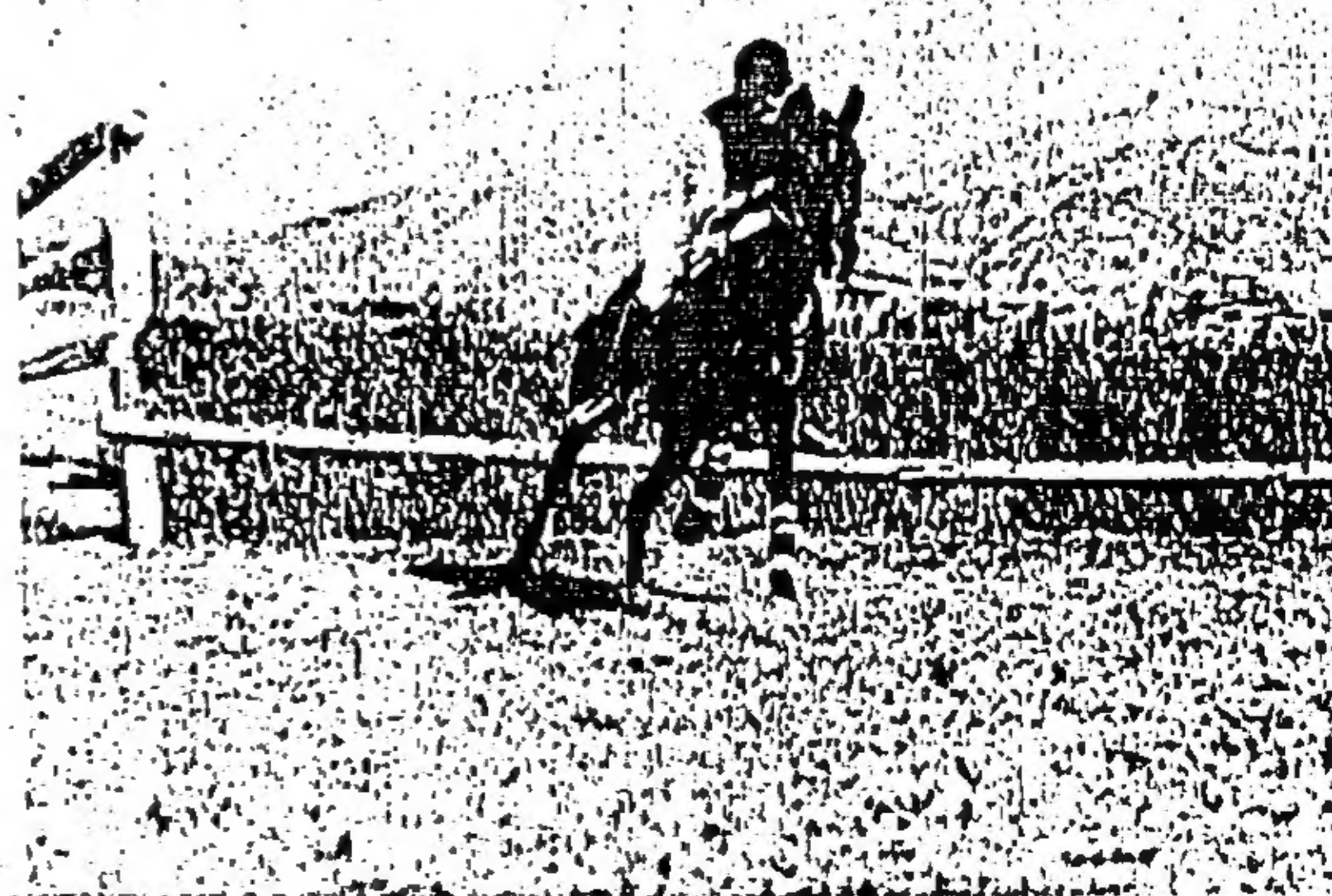
His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., with the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, O.B.E., K.C., at Kwantl races.



A scene from the Fox Film, Lasky production "The Power and the Glory" with Spencer Tracy and Colleen Moore which will be shown at the King's from to-day.



Christmas Belle (Mr. Ferguson) being led in by Miss Pamela Scott-Harston, after winning the February Country Cup at Fanling, on Sunday.



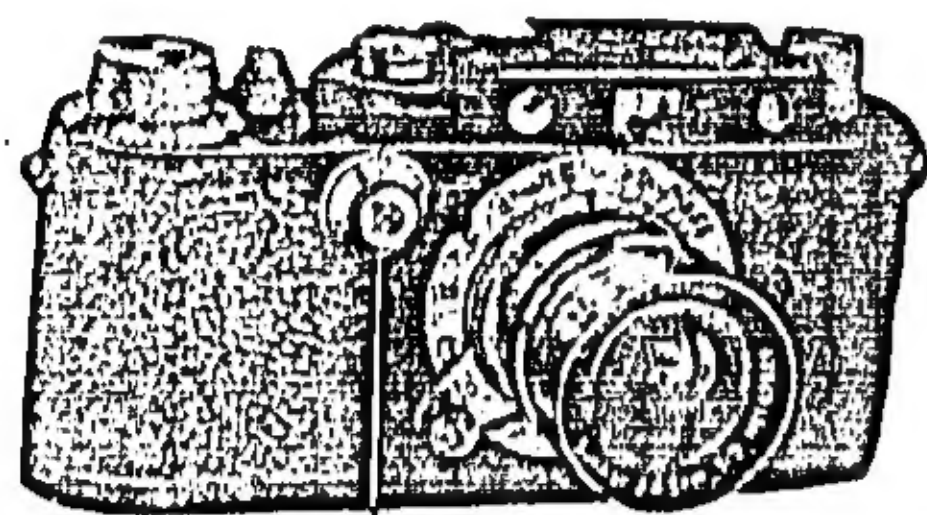
Mr. D. A. O'Connor's Kilrea, ridden by Mr. Wall, coming home in a canter to win the Canberra Steeplechase by nearly a furlong.



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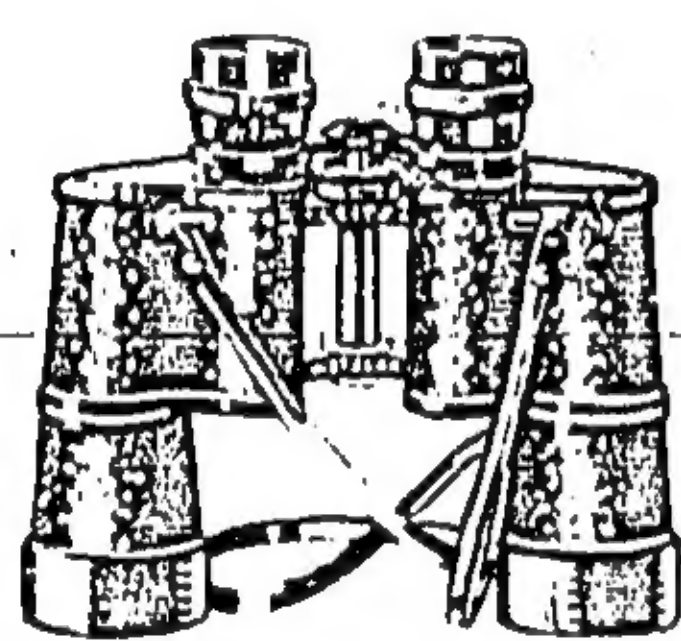
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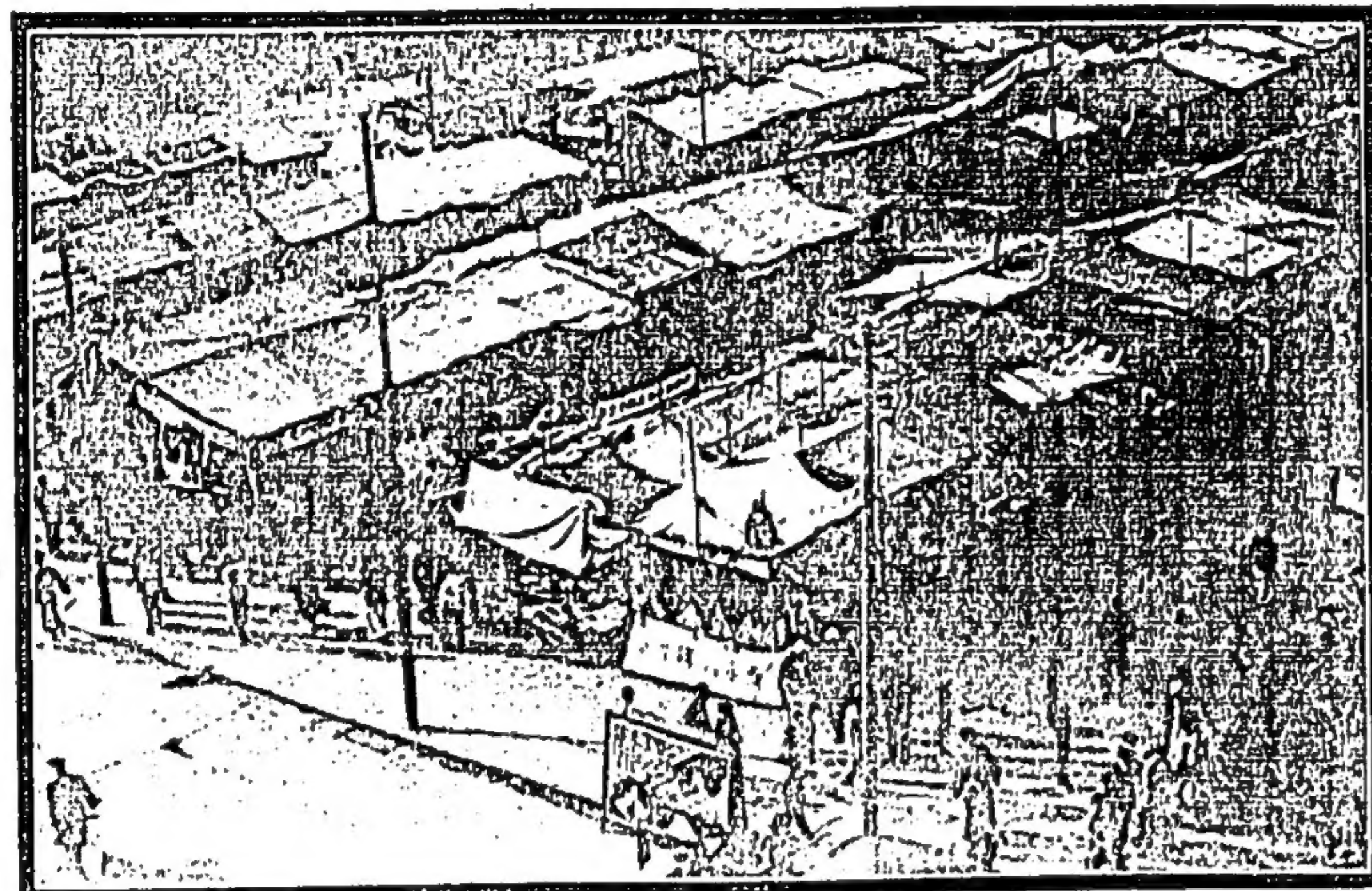
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Members of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. Youth's Christian Group enjoying themselves at a picnic held near Aberdeen.



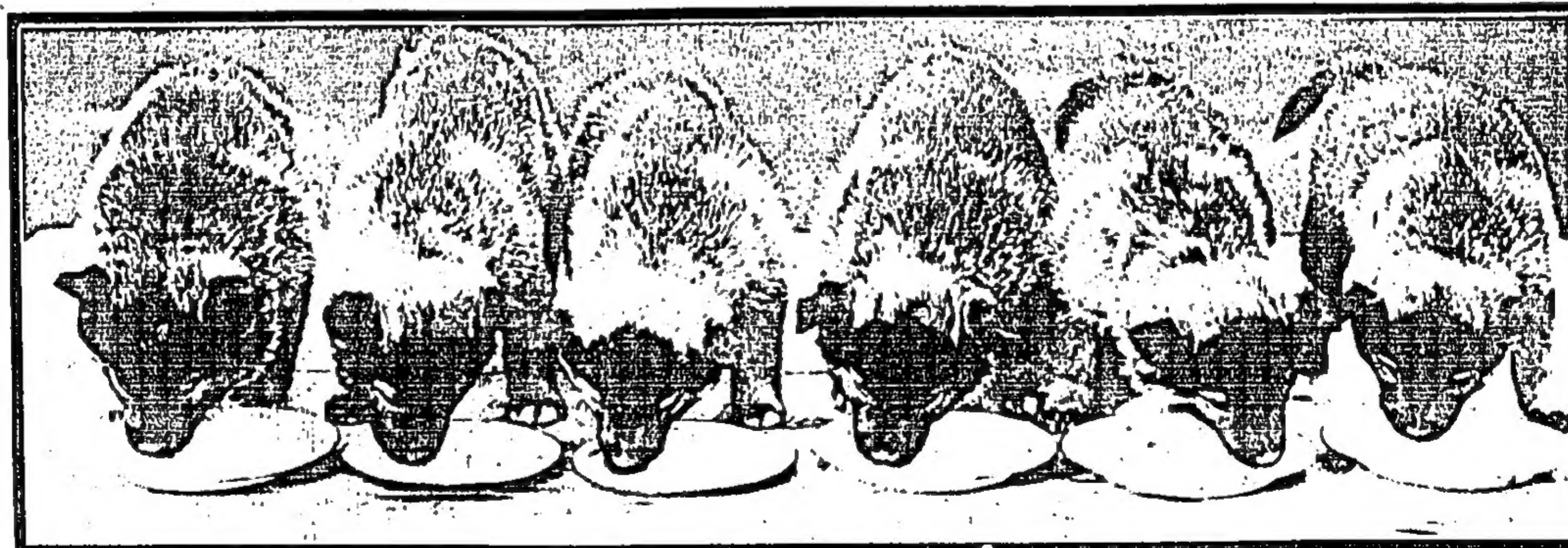
A section of the Chinese New Year Fair at Wanchai reclamation which attracted as large crowds as ever.



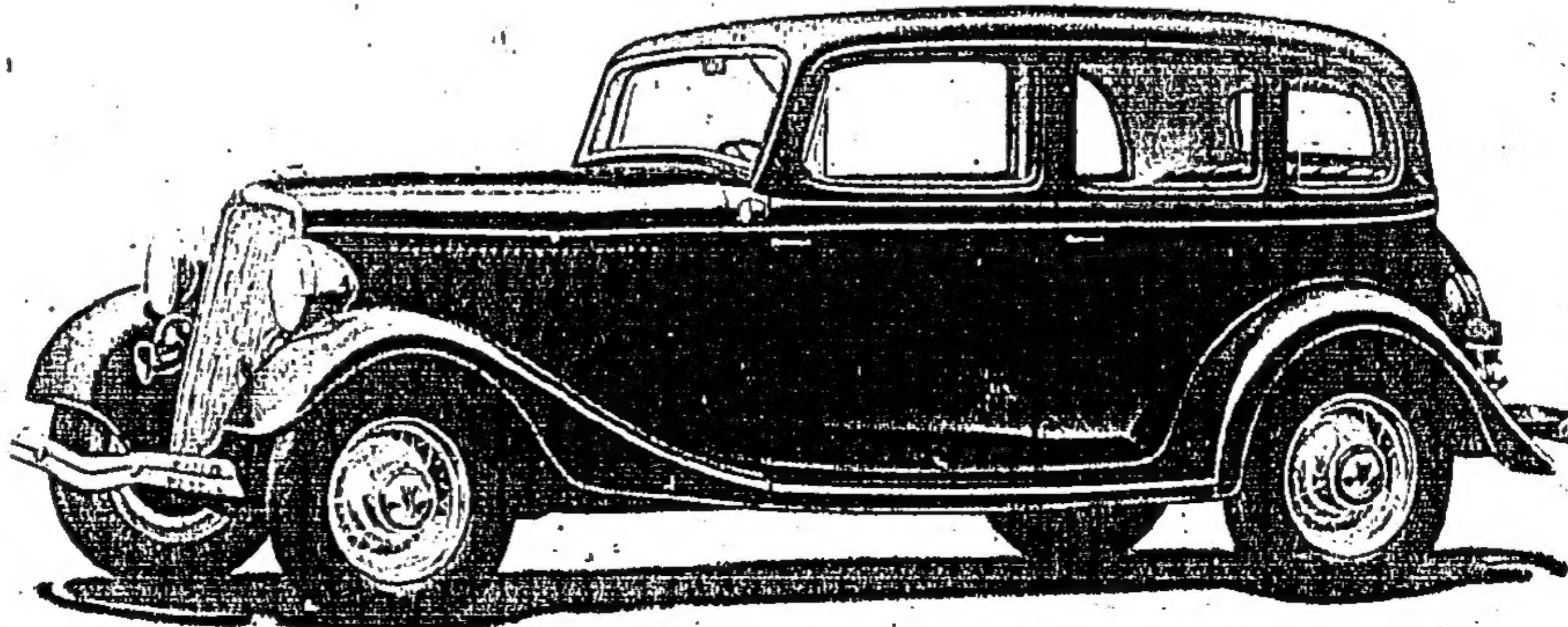
A dainty little guest dressed as a fairy makes her curtsy to the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress at the Children's Ball at the Mansion House, London.—(S. & G.).



A fine model in sugar of the well known liner "Majestic" made by J. Pearse (left), the ship's chef, and T. Henderson, the chief baker, on board the "Majestic" at Southampton.—(S. & G.).



"Leaving a clean plate." Some eight-week-old Elkhound puppies enjoying dinner at their Surrey Home.—(S. & G.).



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This graceful satin evening gown features attractive padded shoulder straps and the new rowl back. Note also the interesting drapery which forms a short train "Marshall and Snelgrove," London.—(S. & G.).



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## CHAIRMAN'S WARNING AT BANK MEETING

### SURVEY OF CHINA TRADE

"IT IS AN OMINOUS SIGN THAT CHINA SHOULD BE BEGINNING TO EXPORT SILVER TO PAY FOR HER EXPORTS," DECLARED THE CHAIRMAN OF THE HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, MR. T. E. PEARCE, AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS, YESTERDAY MORNING.

In his speech, Mr. Pearce comprehensively reviewed the position of China's trade and finances, and spoke lengthily on the problem of silver.

Commenting on the upward trend of world trade, he expressed an opinion that although the tension in the Far East and the uncertain political situation in Europe might act as a brake, the movement to more prosperity seemed likely to continue.

The Chairman, Mr. T. E. Pearce, said:—

"The Report and Statement of Accounts having been in your hands for some days I will, with your permission, take them as read.

"After making full provision for losses and contingencies, the net profits for the year amount to \$15,208,624.73, a reduction from the previous year of nearly \$17 lacs as quoted in local currency but a moderate increase in Sterling, due to the higher rate of exchange at which our accounts are taken over.

"After deducting the interim dividend paid at 1/4 1/2 and Directors' remuneration, the amount available for distribution is \$11,592,943.93, which it is proposed to deal with as follows:—

To pay a final dividend of £3 per share (subject to deduction of income tax \$6,630,215.83.

Transfer to Bank Premises Account \$1,500,000.

Carry forward to new Account \$3,462,728.10.

Total \$11,592,943.93.

"Some of you may think that our appropriation to Bank Premises Account is on a generous scale, but your Directors feel that in view of the heavy expenditure involved in putting up our new head office, it is a wise policy to write this expenditure down as liberally as possible."

#### China And Silver

After commenting on the trend of business generally, Mr. Pearce continued, *inter alia*, "the depression struck China later than the rest of the world and, owing to the depreciation of currencies elsewhere and to the political troubles which have befallen her, it is to be feared that her recovery may be delayed. But much depends on certain imponderable considerations amongst which silver takes a prominent place.

"Three years ago your Chairman in reviewing the position of silver expressed the hope that 'the governments concerned would stay their hands from any measures calculated to make the position worse.' We still hold the view that from the point of view of China, governmental interference, aiming at bringing about an artificial rise in silver, will almost certainly do more harm than good, and for this reason we did not applaud the Silver Agreement reached at the World Economic Conference in London.

"It set a precedent for attempting to control the supply of silver, and though its effect on values has been and is likely to remain small owing to the comparatively small quantity with which it deals, the fact that a successful international agreement has been reached, providing an artificial silver market and restricting the free play of supply and demand, is encouraging to silver speculators. The depreciation of currencies throughout the world has had the effect of raising proportionately the price of silver in terms of those currencies and concurrently has put up the price of China's export commodities.

"It is an ominous sign that China should be beginning to export silver to pay for her imports.

"If we glance at a few figures the position will be clearer.

"Taking the 7 years up to the end of 1930, on an average India and China together consumed about 66 per cent. of the world offerings of silver, say about 200

million ounces per annum. This consumption dropped in 1931 to 116 million ounces, in 1932 to 62 million ounces, and now in 1933 the Indian consumption is estimated to be 10 million ounces, while China is estimated to have exported some 15 million ounces more than she imported.

"So we find the consumers of two-thirds of the world supply of silver have gone out of the market, and although the production of silver has dropped from an average of about 240 million ounces to 163, the total offerings of silver last year reached as much as 273 million ounces which is not very much under the average supply of the last 7 years. The consequence is that over 150 million ounces of the supply of silver remain unaccounted for and are presumably in the hands of speculators.

#### China's Trade

"I cannot pass on without mentioning the American Cotton Wheat credit of U. S. \$50 million which Mr. T. V. Soong negotiated during his stay in America last May. This was a bold experiment which has not yet proved its worth.

"Turning now to trade, the most reliable index which we have in China is the Maritime Customs returns of foreign trade; but in order to make a true comparison of the 1933 Customs figures with previous years it is necessary to make allowance for the exclusion this year of figures respecting the Manchurian ports, which last year were included for the first six months.

"If we do this, we shall find that the total foreign trade of the country (that is of China excluding Manchuria) has decreased some 7% compared with 1932 and some 33% as compared with 1931 which was a record year.

"In view of the notoriously depressed state of the staple Chinese industries it may surprise some of you to be told that the export figures—again excluding Manchuria—actually show an increase of 7% over 1932 though it must be remembered that exports touched a very low level that year. Imports are down about 12%.

"The fact that imports have dropped more than exports has of course had a favourable effect on the visible balance of trade, which in 1933 shows an excess of imports of \$733 millions as compared with the previous year's excess of \$862 millions including, and \$955 millions excluding, the Manchurian figures.

"Taking a broad view of the trade of China, the indications seem to point to the fact that provided external conditions get no worse China trade can hardly go further downhill.

Mr. T. E. Pearce, was supported by Mr. T. H. R. Shaw, Deputy Chairman, W. H. Bell, A. H. Compston, Hon. Mr. C. G. S. Mackie, Mr. G. Miskin, Mr. K. S. Morrison, the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Mr. J. P. Warren (Directors), and Mr. V. M. Grayburn, Chief Manager.

The shareholders present were: Mrs. Murphy, Sir Henry Pollock, K.C., Messrs. J. H. Taggart, P. S. Cassidy, J. W. C. Bonnar, A. B. Raworth, G. G. N. Tinson, G. de la P. B. Fitzgerald, S. J. Deeks, N. V. A. Croucher, A. Stevenson, L. N. Murphy, G. E. Brown, R. A. Dastur, J. Fleming, A. Murdoch, S. T. Williamson, Professor C. Middleton-Smith, J. E. Joseph, P. M. N. da Silva, F. W. Stapleton, H. Dixon, F. H. Kow, D. O. Russell, W. J. Keavick, W. H. S. Dent, C. C. Knight, H. R. S. Lav, J. D. Danby, H. S. Hills, H. Gittins, Chan Lim-pak, Chung Wing-ku, Fung Kwong-

## AFTERMATH OF WAR, ON EMU

Farmer Submits Claim For £924.

### AUSTRALIAN DESPUTE

Canberra, F. C. T. Last year's war on the "Emu Front" in West Australia was recalled in the Senate, when Sir George Pearce, Minister for Defence, declined Senator Johnston's (C. P. W. A.) suggestion for an emu debt conference.

Machining-guns from the permanent military forces were sent to deal with the birds—then ravishing the wheat crops of the western State.

Billed for £24 for ammunition used on his property, Mr. D. J. O'Leary, wheat farmer, of Walroolun, sent the following counter claim quoted by Senator Johnston.

"To victualing his Majesty's troops, £9, to transport of same, £10. To damage to transport equipment in conveyance of his Majesty's troops to front line, £5. To damages for loss of 6,000 bushels of wheat at 31s a bushel, £900. Total, £924.

Mr. O'Leary in a tag to his account, added:—"Napoleon's ideas are now obsolete, and the army engaged in the campaign did not march on its stomach but in my motor car. The well-fed condition of the troops was responsible for the breakage to the chassis of that vehicle.

The wheat for which he claimed, he said, was destroyed, not by the troops, but by the enemy.

This was caused, he said, by the delay in commencing operations occasioned by the war conference between the W. A. Agricultural Bank and Sir George Pearce to determine who should pay the cost of the ammunition.

Sensor Johnston advised a cancellation of war debts, due

## COLONY TRADE DECLINES.

Imports And Exports Drop In January.

The Statistical Office of the Imports and Exports Department reports that both imports and exports of merchandise still further declined in the month of January, 1934.

Imports totalled \$32.5 millions (\$2.4), as against \$38.0 millions (\$2.4) in the corresponding period of 1933; while exports totalled \$27.4 millions (\$2.0), as compared with \$31.3 millions (\$2.0).

The following table shows comparative figures of Imports and Exports of merchandise and treasure:—

IMPORTS	
1934	1933
Merchandise .....	\$32,549,352
Treasure .....	\$37,909,257
Total .....	\$70,458,609
EXPORTS	
1934	1933
Merchandise .....	\$27,300,494
Treasure .....	\$31,251,405
Total .....	\$58,551,899

Monthly Fluctuations Since January of 1933 total imports of merchandise into Hong Kong, fluctuated from the lowest dollar value \$32.5 millions in January, 1934, to the highest (\$47.5 millions) in March, 1933; while Exports fluctuated from \$27.4 millions in January, 1934, to \$37.5 millions in February, 1933.

either to the Commonwealth or to the State by settlers on the frontier.

"It was a fair thing," he said, "in view of the low price of wheat."

Sir George Pearce replied that his information from the base was that the operation was very successful, and Mr. O'Leary should be as grateful as other farmers certainly were.—Reuter.

## CHINA PROVIDENT PROFITS

\$71,288 Shown In 1933 Balance Sheet.

### 12 CENT DIVIDEND PROPOSED

The China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co., Ltd. accounts for the year ended December 31, 1933, (subject to audit) show that the net profit for the year amounts to \$71,288.95, which, together with the sum of \$125,196.35 brought forward from the previous year, gives a total of \$196,485.31 available for appropriation.

At the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Shareholders, the Board of Directors will recommend the following:—

To pay a Dividend of 12 cts. per share on the fully paid shares .....	\$ 70,749.99
To pay a Dividend of 6 cts. per share on the partly paid shares .....	\$ 17,087.34
To carry forward to 1934 account .....	\$108,048.61
	\$195,885.94

The Board of Directors will also propose that the General Reserve Account, amounting to \$633,982.24, which is now no longer required for the purposes for which it was originally created, be apportioned as follows:—

Transfer to Special Reserve for Depreciation of Property .....	\$483,414.19
Transfer to Special Reserve for Depreciation of Furniture & Equipment .....	\$ 18,306.24
Transfer to Contingency Reserve Account .....	\$132,261.81
	\$633,982.24

### IN HIS FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS

Ladysmith. The wife of a native here has given birth to healthy quadruplets. The native's father was married 13 times and had 87 children.

## LOCAL NEWS & BREVITIES

The Broadway Revue "Hello Hong Kong" will give a special matinee at the Queen's Theatre to-day at 5 p.m. and not at 5.30 p.m., as advertised on page 2 of this issue.

Mr. John Henry Burkhill Lee, has been appointed a Police Magistrate in addition to his other duties, with effect from February 20, 1934.

The annual prize distribution of St. Stephen's College, will be held at Stanley on Saturday, March 3, at 3 p.m., when Sir Henry Pollock, Kt., K.C., will distribute the awards.

A hand-bag containing \$11 in cash and other articles was yesterday morning snatched off the person of Mrs. Kine, of 195 Prince Edward Road, as she was walking in Nathan Road near Nanking Street. Despite an alarm, her assailant made good his escape.

It is notified for general information that the Anglican Church situated at No. 3 Duke Street, Kowloon Tong, has been licensed by His Excellency the Governor, to be a place for the celebration of marriage in pursuance of Section 111 of the Marriage Ordinance, 1875.

It is notified that in case of applications to purchase land by sale by public auction through the P.W.D. a deposit of \$200 must be made to the Treasury, before the same will be advertised in the Gazette or local papers, which deposit will be returned if the sale takes place, but will be forfeited if the applicant fails to bid the upset price.

un, Chun Seng-chao, Lo Chung-wan and Ping-sun.

On the proposal of Mr. P. S. Cassidy, seconded by Mr. A. B. Raworth, the confirmation of the appointment of Mr. K. S. Morrison as a Director, and the re-election of Mr. T. E. Pearce, Mr. T. H. R. Shaw and Mr. W. H. Bell as Directors was passed unanimously.

Auditors Re-Elected Mr. John Fleming, C.A., and Mr. R. H. Forsyth, C.A., were re-elected as Auditors on the proposal of Mr. J. C. Bonnar and seconded Mr. Wong Ping-sun.

At the close of the meeting the Chairman stated that dividend warrants would be ready on Monday morning.

Mr. Kan Tong-po has been appointed a member of the Court of the University of Hong Kong for a period of three years, with effect from February 21, 1934.

It is notified in the Government Gazette that the name of King's Studio Ltd., has been struck off the Register.

Mr. Henry Bellit's All-American Broadway Revue are giving a matinee performance at the Queen's Theatre this afternoon, commencing at 5 o'clock.

The King's Exequatur empowering Senhor Rodrigo Guilherme Alves Guerra to act as Consul for Portugal in Hong Kong, has received His Majesty's signature.

Pleading guilty to receiving a radiator cap stolen from Car No. 3978, Wong Tak, an unemployed Chinese was sentenced to two months imprisonment by Mr. Hamilton at the Central Magistrate's Court yesterday.

One month's imprisonment was imposed on Chan Po, an unemployed Chinese, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Police Court yesterday for illegally pawning a blanket, the property of another Chinese, Leung Yau.

Pleading guilty to a charge of stealing \$5.78 from a married woman, Au Nam-nau, at Chain Wan on February 12, three unemployed Chinese, Tsang Tsol, Chan Wah-sing and Woo Yuen, were each sentenced to six months' hard labour by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Police Court yesterday.

A sentence of three months imprisonment was imposed on Chau Yan, an unemployed Chinese for stealing a radiator cap from car No. 2972, property of Dr. I. Newton, of Victoria Hospital, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistrate's Court yesterday.

Charged with stealing a suit of clothes and an opium pipe, the property of Lau Hon-keung, of 324, Queen's Road West, Shak Leung an unemployed Chinese the same address, was remanded in police custody for 48 hours, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistrate's Court yesterday. The defendant was stated to have pawned the clothes and given the opium pipe to a friend.

A Tea Dance will be held at Repulse Bay Hotel to-day at 4.30 p.m.

Mr. John Heywood Gelling's appointment as Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths, is gazetted.

It is notified that, unless cause is shown to the contrary, within three months from February 19, the name of the Kam Hing Steamship Co., Ltd., will be struck off the register and the company dissolved.

Dr. Tai Hon-fan, M.B., B.S. (Hong Kong), of No. 86, Queen's Road Central, and Dr. Yang Pao-chang, M.B., B.S. (Hong Kong), of No. 57, Wyndham Street, have been added to the list of Medical Practitioners of the Colony.

Mr. George Brownbill Twemlow has been appointed to act as Superintendent of the Botanical and Forestry Department during the absence on leave of Mr. Harold Green, with effect from February 24, 1934.

Chung Wan, a Chinese ship-builder at the Kowloon Docks, died at the Kowloon Hospital yesterday at 5 p.m. from injuries sustained when a bolt from a machine slipped off the driving wheel and struck him on the head.

It is notified in the current number of the Gazette that at the expiration of three months from yesterday the name of the New Zealand China Trading Co., Ltd., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register of Companies, and the company dissolved.

By kind permission of the Senior Naval Officer, H.M.S. Borwick, of the Fifth Cruiser Squadron, and H.M.S. Wishart, of the Eighth Destroyer Flotilla, will be open for public inspection between 2 o'clock and 4 o'clock this afternoon. Intending visitors are to make their own arrangements about travelling to and from the vessels.

An opening concert in connection with the Australian Conservatorium and Music Club under the direction of Madame Lottie Gordon, assisted by Mrs. Lyle Wilcox and other vocalists, will take place at the Conservatorium rooms, 196 Prince Edward Road, on Wednesday, February 28, at 8.15 p.m. Invitation tickets may be obtained from the secretary, Miss B. Farmham.

## Christ's Humanity As Seen By Men

### Subtle Influence That Brought Followers

## THE EMBODIMENT OF HOPE

(By A Local Padre.)

(This is another of the series of articles written exclusively for the "Sunday Herald" by a local Army chaplain.)

(The first part of this article appeared on Feb. 11).

AND yet this strong, brave, silent Man, was also delightfully genial in common life. He was the kind of man around whom children gathered with confidence, and He loved to have them. All simple souls were drawn to Him, even the moral failures of His day found His society a pure joy.

He was interested in ordinary affairs, and all classes of society found that He knew all about their lives. By choice He lived in the midst of men, and they found it good to be with Him. He exercised over them that subtle fascination that cannot be analysed, but to experience which is a great joy. He was strong and able and great-hearted, and yet the ignorant and faulty were not uncomfortable in His presence.

There was one sin which drew from Him a torrent of passionate invective—insincerity in religion. For those who made God seem unlovely to men it would seem He felt no words to be too strong. But for the rest He did not seem greatly concerned to denounce sinners. Sin was always ashamed of itself in His presence. His rebukes were the unspoken rebukes of a perfectly pure soul. For His own part He seemed much more concerned to appreciate what was attractive in men.

Impulses of affection passed between them and Him. He did not assume a loving attitude as a matter of duty, on the contrary He loved them. He was incapable of any pretence, and He had the seeing eye that discovers the human jewels which are hidden under ugly faults and clumsy manners. It was because He found some reason for believing in them and hoping concerning them, that men were drawn to Him.

Champion Of Oppressed. There was a certain passion of pity in Him, that dominated His life. For the poor and sick-for prisoners and captives-for all the victims of man's oppression He had an acute sympathy, and was their champion from the first. He declared that it was God's will that such things should cease, and proclaimed a kingdom where they should be no more.

He accepted the challenge of every cruel, evil, unjust and insidious force in the world, in the faith that God was stronger than them all, and He gave His life in that conflict. He was incapable of any content while one human being was suffering injustice, although He knew from the first that to champion the weak the poor and the oppressed was to raise against Himself the hatred of the strong, the rich and the tyrannous. He knew that in the end they would kill Him. But of that He made nothing, because He knew also that by dying He would win the ultimate victory.

He could not be bought. He could not even be restrained to moderation by considerations of policy. He did not understand the meaning of that blessed word "compromise," and told the stern unbending truth to men face to face. He never explained away the demands of the law of God until they became easy to recognise with a comfortable worldliness.

He lived life on the levels where it is always risky. It was for Him an adventure in which He had great forces arrayed against Him. He needed all His quiet strength and consummate bravery. It was His lot to take great risks and to take them daily.

Sought Solace In Prayer. The strain of it all must have been tremendous. There were times when He had to go away to be alone with His Father. In long nights of prayer to recover His strength, and from them He always emerged serene and strong again.

## THIS WORLD OF OURS.

### ODD FACTS OF SCIENCE IN EVERYDAY LIFE.

For taking photographs in the dark electricians have developed lamps that yield from 80 to 85 per cent. of ultraviolet rays, absorbing 99 per cent. of visible light.

Daily air service in each direction has been established between London and Newcastle-on-Tyne, covering the distance of 268 miles in about half the time of the swiftest trains.

With a new process newspaper paper is being made from Georgia pine trees only seven years old instead of requiring the use of trees 50 or more years old as at present.

Extensive electrification of the Natal system of the South African Railways is proposed by the government, electric power now being used on about 300 miles of line.



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## New York Stock Exchange

## A.O.F.C. Quotations.

New York, Yesterday.  
 New Jones Averages.  
 Last To-day's Change.  
 30 Industrials 108.50 106.14 2.36 down  
 20 Rails 51.81 50.02 1.79 down  
 20 Utilities 28.31 27.60 .71 down  
 40 Bonds 92.29 92.03 .26 down  
 Commodity Index 54.22 54.01 .21 down  
 Messrs. E. A. Perce & Co. Report:—There was no settlement today, possibly due to strike developments in some of the motor plants. There is no other news to explain the pressure. Wheat: Dull but steady. Sentiment was changed somewhat by all partial relief in

## DOLLAR REMAINS STEADY.

## Silver Prices Continue To Advance.

The local dollar has remained steady on Friday opened unchanged yesterday at 1/6 1/2.

Silver prices continue on an upward trend, advancing a further 1/2 on Friday, the closing prices of spot and forward being 20% and 20-11/16, respectively.

The London on New York cross rate closed on Friday at £-G\$5.07 1/2 as against £-G\$5.08 1/2 on Thursday, while the New York on London cross rate was quoted at £-G\$5.07 1/2, there being no quotation on Thursday.

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## COTTON, SILVER AND WHEAT

## Latest Quotations.

New York, Feb. 24.  
 Messrs. Asia Lands Ltd. have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat, rubber, silk and silver exchanges on the Commodity Exchanges Inc. New York:—  
 Closing Commodity Price on February 23.

SILVER.  
 Silver: Commodity Exchange Inc. of New York:  
 Feb. 21 Range Feb. 21 Range  
 Feb. 21 Range Feb. 23 Range  
 Mar. 46.40 46.45 46.55 46.70  
 May 46.92 46.95 47.18 47.20  
 July 47.34 47.35 47.55 47.60  
 253 contracts of — 525 contracts of 25,000 ozs. each — 25,000 ozs. each  
 Market:—Steady.

RUBBER.  
 Rubber: Commodity Exchange Inc. of New York:  
 Feb. 21 Range Feb. 23 Range  
 Mar. 10.43 10.44 10.61 10.61  
 May 10.70 10.71 10.85 10.87  
 July 11.00 11.00 11.18 11.18  
 Standard No. 1 "B" Contract.  
 Total sales for the day:—  
 298 contracts — 310 contracts

SILK.  
 Silk: Commodity Exchange Inc. of New York:  
 Feb. 21 Range Feb. 23 Range  
 Mar. 1.47 1.49 1.43 1.43

SUGAR.  
 Sugar: New York Sugar & Coffee Exchange:  
 Feb. 21. Feb. 23.  
 March 1.60 1.59  
 May 1.63 1.61  
 July 1.67 1.65  
 Market:—Quiet.

COTTON.  
 Cotton: New York Cotton Exchange:  
 Feb. 21 Range Feb. 23 Range  
 Mar. 12.00 12.01 12.02 12.02  
 May 12.17 12.19 12.18 12.18  
 July 12.33 12.33 12.32 12.33  
 Oct. 12.47 12.50 12.49 12.49  
 Dec. 12.61 12.61 12.60 12.60  
 Jan. 12.63 12.63 12.63 12.63  
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 Spot 12.40 12.40  
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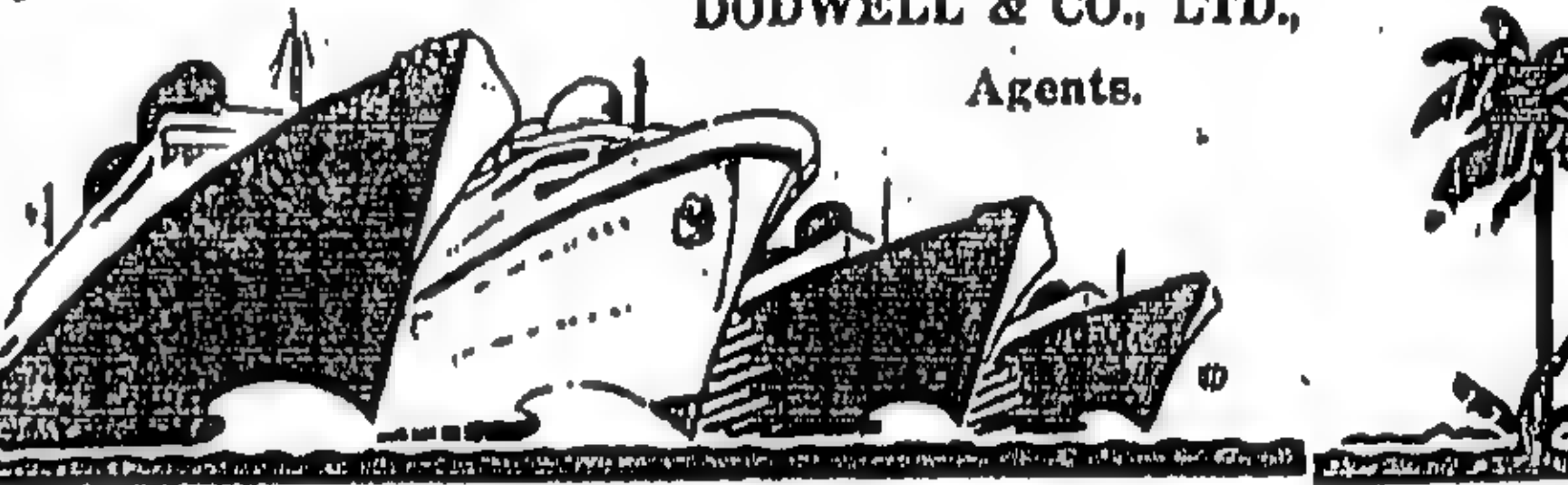
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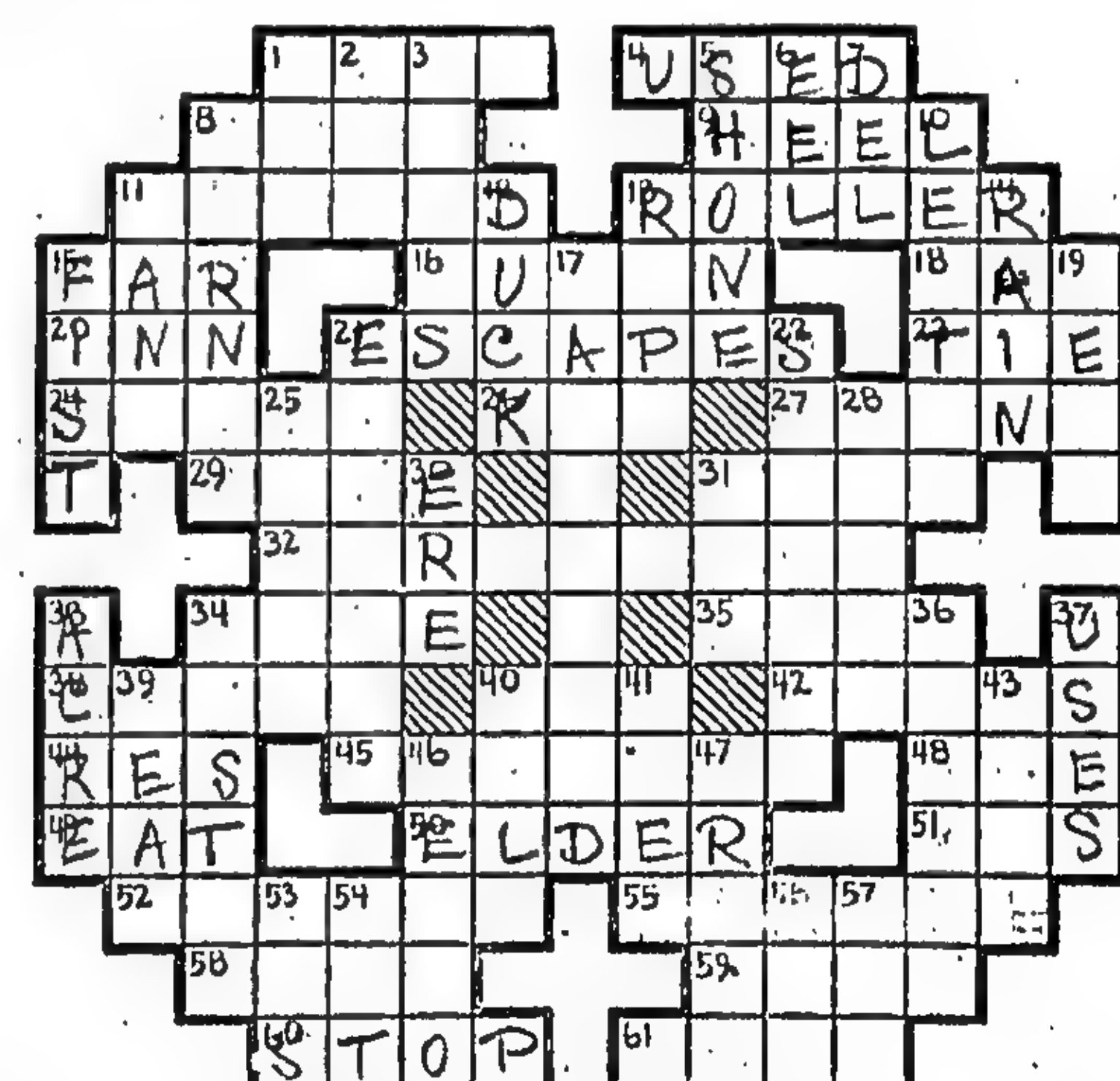
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## OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



- HORIZONTAL  
 1-A wrap  
 4-Employed  
 8-Girl's name  
 9-Part of the foot  
 11-One lacking in courage  
 13-A cauter-wheel  
 16-Distant  
 16-A city in N. W. Italy  
 18-Grab  
 20-Tavern  
 21-Gels away  
 23-Divid  
 24-Appare  
 26-Knight (abbr.)  
 27-Impress  
 29-Chinese vegetable  
 31-Bucket  
 32-Bull-fighters  
 34-Nothing but  
 35-The after part of a vessel's keel  
 38-Hard part of bread  
 40-Piece out  
 42-Man's name  
 44-Residence (abbr.)  
 46-Moved rapidly
- HORIZONTAL (Cont.)  
 49-Point of compass (abbr.)  
 49-Consums  
 50-Older  
 51-Tons (abbr.)  
 52-Rent  
 55-Cuddis  
 58-Stagger  
 59-Soal with wax  
 60-Halt  
 61-Remain
- VERTICAL  
 1-Bovine  
 2-A constellation  
 3-Separates  
 5-Glistened  
 6-Snake-like fish  
 7-Middle Atlantic State of U. S. (abbr.)  
 8-Nook  
 10-An Old World leguminous plant  
 11-Walking-stick  
 12-A short-legged water fowl
- VERTICAL (Cont.)  
 13-Tore  
 14-Shower  
 15-Closed hand  
 17-Rummaged every part  
 18-Wages  
 21-Convoys  
 22-Throw out sparks  
 25-A very small insect (pl.)  
 28-Ascended  
 30-Before  
 31-Positive (abbr.)  
 32-A land measure  
 34-Enroll  
 35-Quiescent  
 39-Genuine  
 40-Elongated fish (pl.)  
 41-Paradise  
 43-Girl's name  
 46-Shine  
 47-Build  
 53-Combining form. Air  
 64-Look  
 66-Ocean  
 67-Attempt

## WHEAT.

Wheat: Chicago Board of Trade:  
 Feb. 21. Feb. 23.  
 May 88 1/2 88 1/2  
 July 86 1/2 86 1/2  
 September 87 1/2 87 1/2  
 20,000,000 — 10,000,000  
 bushels bushels

## AMERICAN GOLD PRICE: (WASHINGTON).

Feb. 19 Feb. 23  
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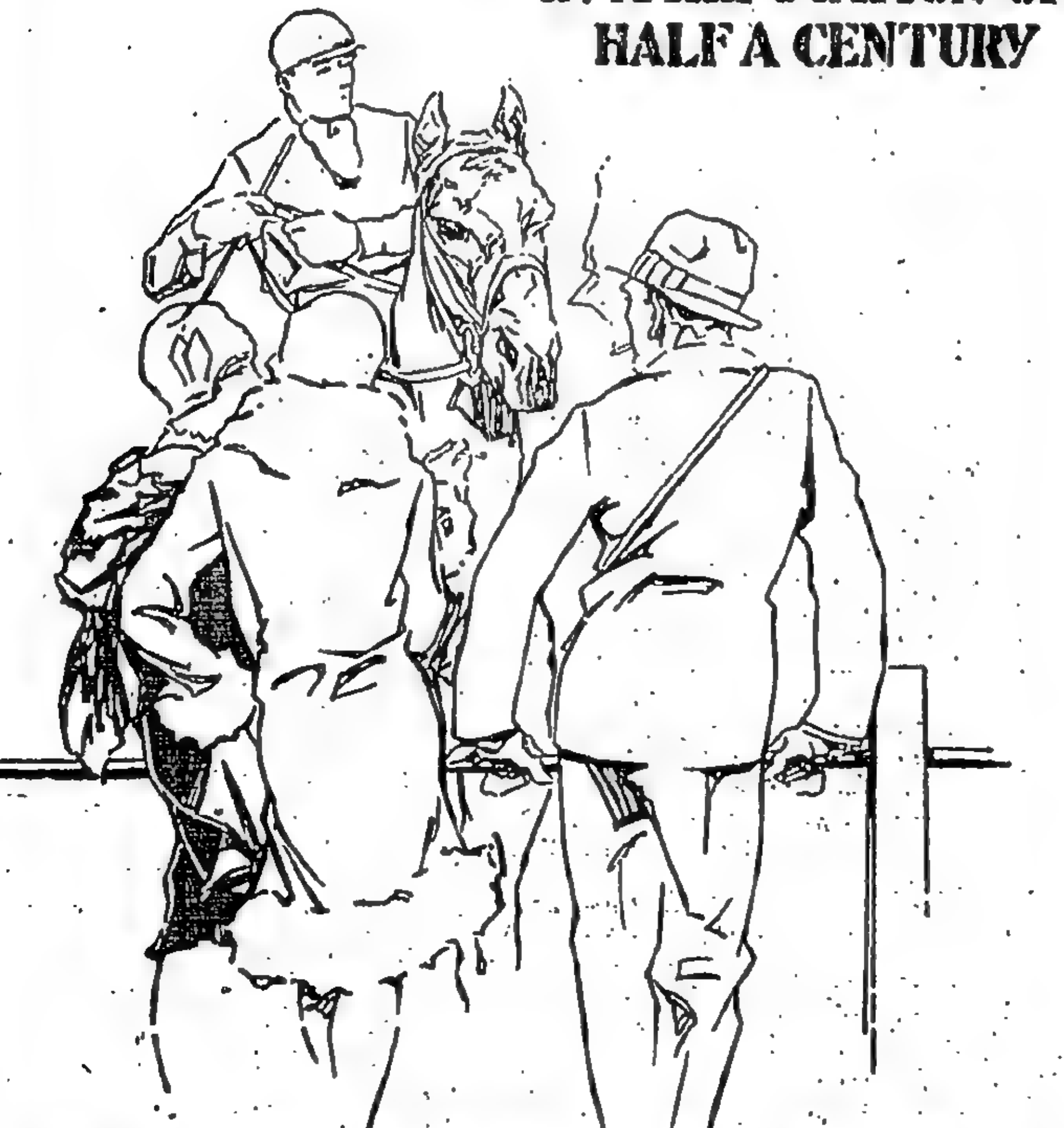
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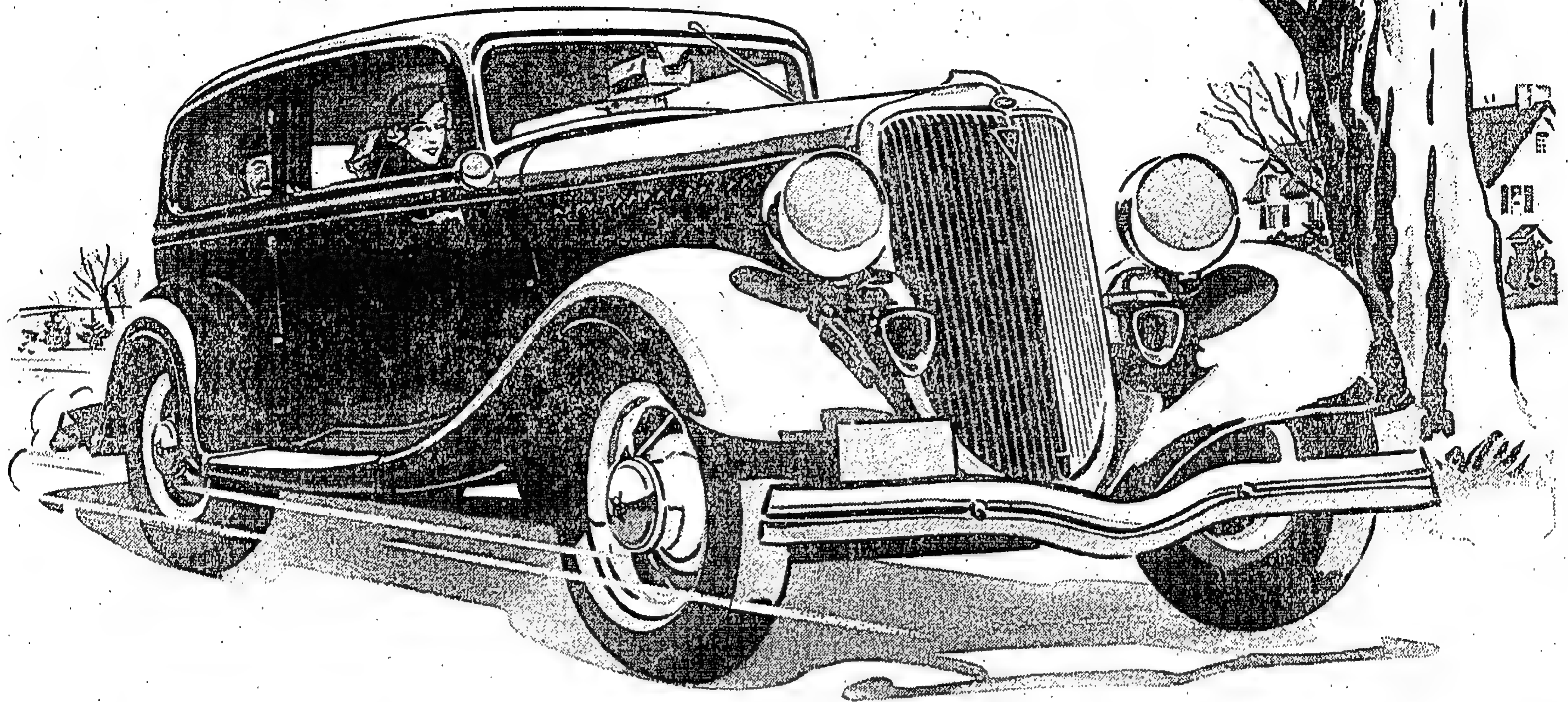
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## BIG DIVIDENDS RETURNED AT ANNUAL RACE MEETING

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(Continued from Page 4.)

11.30 A.M.—THE WONG-NEI-CHONG STAKES.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Grifins of this Club of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$10. Half a Mile.

Woo Tucson's Dancing Bot-terfly 150 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho) 1  
Wong Ping Shun's Bold Com-mander 155 lb. (Mr. H. M. Pih) 2  
Li-Yu's The Carp 158 lb. (Mr. T. L. Wong) 3

Also ran:—Bird of Paradise 152 lb. (Mr. S. W. Pan); Blue Danube 154 lb. (Mr. H. V. Pearce); Bran Tub 158 lb. (Mr. Y. S. Chang); Dictator 147 lb. (Mr. W. G. Poy); Hell for Leather 155 lb. (Mr. D. Black); Kindo 150 lb. (Mr. Tang Man Wa); Racing Strain 155 lb. (Mr. H. P. Chanson); Rolling Bay 161 lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares); Soldier of Fortune 159 lb. (Mr. S. Y. Sun); Taranto 155 lb. (Mr. S. N. Pan); The Bodega 158 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard); The Rochard 153 lb. (Mr. J. C. A. Ingram); Toishan 155 lb. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Young Com-panion 158 lb. (Mr. S. Y. Liang); Young Hero 155 lb. (Mr. Ip Kui Ying).

Won by: 1½ lengths and 1½ lengths. Time: 1:01.3.  
Pari-mutuel.  
Win. \$71.  
Place \$21, \$13.60, \$18.50.

Winner Places  
Sarabande ..... 228 314  
Utopian ..... 143 197  
Red Fox ..... 72 110  
Corrie ..... 46 74  
Panama ..... 40 62  
Black Prince ..... 37 42  
Wapiti ..... 35 64  
Lucky III ..... 17 33  
Sear Face ..... 8 24  
Full Speed ..... 8 27  
Double Five ..... 4 11  
Little Beauty ..... 4 9  
Jilshet ..... 1 1  
Racing Beauty ..... 1 4  
Singing Butterfly ..... 1 6  
The Cannon ..... 1 1  
Willdo ..... 1 2

2.—12.00 NOON.—THE WONG-NEI-CHONG STAKES (Second Section).—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Grifins of this Club of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$10. Half a Mile.

The Carp ..... 260 335  
Bran Tub ..... 236 435  
The Bodega ..... 138 148  
Young Hero ..... 88 149  
Bold Commander ..... 83 125  
Rolling Bay ..... 24 31

3.—12.30 P.M.—THE MAIDENS STAKES.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, bona fide Grifins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Entrance \$10. Six Furlongs.

Li Shiu Pang's Soldier of Bri-tain 161 lb. (Mr. S. Y. Sun) 1  
Kong Bros's Electric Star 161 lb. (Mr. D. S. Li) 2  
Mrs. Dunbar's Chief Seattle 161 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler) 3

Also ran:—Bayardo 161 lb. (Mr. R. H. Charles); Beta 161 lb. (Mr. W. H. Choy); Rudge 158 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard); Diego 158 lb. (Mr. Tang Man Wa); Fair View 161 lb. (Mr. T. L. Wong); Great Hall 161 lb. (Mr. S. N. Pan); High Life 158 lb. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); High Speed 158 lb. (Mr. S. W. Pan); Hot Heels 161 lb. (Mr. Ip Kui Ying); Hot Sun 158 lb. (Mr. F. Marshall); King's Fancy 161 lb. (Mr. Y. S. Chang); Monoplane 158 lb. (Mr. H. M. Pih); Pie Face 158 lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares); The Redshank 158 lb. (Mr. N. Deitz); William Osler 158 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Zero 158 lb. (Mr. G. A. Harriman).

Won by a neck and 2 lengths. Time: 1:30.1.

Winner Places  
Soldier of Britain ..... 1012 865  
Electric Star ..... 201 347  
Chief Seattle ..... 61 97  
The Redshank ..... 53 72  
Zero ..... 39 132  
King's Fancy ..... 35 46  
William Osler ..... 21 71  
Budge ..... 19 85  
Hot Sun ..... 17 48  
Bayardo ..... 11 24  
Pie Face ..... 8 13  
Tummel ..... 5 11  
High Life ..... 5 1  
Beta ..... 3 7  
Monoplane ..... 2 7  
Great Hall ..... 2 5  
Hot Heels ..... 2 4  
Diego ..... 1 1

4.—1.00 P.M.—THE SYDNEY MAIDENS STAKES.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Ponies, Grifins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Entrance \$10. Six Furlongs.

Grist & Beck's Bronze Era 152 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 1  
Stephen Lam's Atlas 155 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 2  
H.E. Sir William Peel's Nell Gwyn 155 lb. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 3

Also ran:—Bobniak Star 156 lb. (Mr. D. S. Li); Cheeky Face 152 lb. (Mr. H. V. Pearce); Flummery 155 lb. (Mr. D. Black); High Finance 149 lb. (Mr. S. W. Pan); Macbeth 149 lb. (Mr. J. C. A. Ingram); Mutiny Bay 153 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost); Racing Heart 157 lb. (Mr. T. L. Wong); Racing Streak 152 lb. (Mr. H. M. Pih); Swan 155 lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares).

Won by 1½ lengths and 3 lengths. Time: 1:21.3.

Winner Places  
Atlas ..... 560 442  
Bronze Era ..... 345 432  
Bobniak Star ..... 205 265  
Nell Gwyn ..... 101 124  
Racing Heart ..... 292 259  
Mutiny Bay ..... 98 116  
High Finance ..... 62 77  
Flummery ..... 36 48  
Swan ..... 16 19  
Racing Streak ..... 9 14  
Macbeth ..... 6 12  
Cheeky Face ..... 3 3

5.—1.30 P.M.—THE SYDNEY MAIDENS STAKES (Second Section).—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Ponies, Grifins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Entrance \$10. Six Furlongs.

Fatsan's Able Amazon 155 lb. (Mr. D. S. Li) 1  
Triumvir's Alacrity 161 lb. (Mr. R. H. Charles) 2  
Seth's Just That 154 lb. (Mr. S. Y. Sun) 3

Also ran:—Australian Boy 155 lb. (Mr. F. Marshall); Bag Tor 152 lb. (Mr. B. A. Proulx); Dancing Hall 153 lb. (Mr. S. N. Pan); Dinty 154 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard); Empire Day 155 lb. (Mr. N. Deitz); Glorious Star 152 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler); Saucy Face 153 lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares); The Goose 153 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost); Friday 152 lb. (Mr. Y. S. Chang).

Won by 3 lengths and a short head. Time: 1:21.1.

Winner Places  
Able Amazon ..... 925 812  
Just That ..... 141 218  
Bag Tor ..... 136 145  
Friday ..... 123 136  
Dinty ..... 98 104  
Saucy Face ..... 94 155  
The Goose ..... 69 107  
Alacrity ..... 61 151  
Empire Day ..... 60 95  
Australian Boy ..... 39 46  
Glorious Star ..... 10 19  
Dancing Hall ..... 6 14

6.—2.00 P.M.—THE FOCHOW CUP.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, bona fide Grifins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Entrance \$10. One and a half Miles.

L. Dunbar's Liberty Bay 161 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1

7.—3.30 P.M.—THE VALLEY STAKES.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Grifins of this Club of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Entrance \$10. Six Furlongs.

Leong Kwok Cheong's Cavalcade 155 lb. (H. P. Chanson) 1  
Ho Kom Tong's Classic Hall 155 lb. (S. N. Pan) 2  
Triumvir's Surprise 161 lb. (S. Marshall) 3

Also ran:—Antamok 152 lb. (A. A. R. Botelho); Cavalcade 155 lb. (H. P. Chanson); Chesterfield 156 lb. (A. J. P. Heard); Chow Fan 152 lb. (G. A. Harriman); City View 158 lb. (T. L. Wong); Classic Hall 155 lb. (S. N. Pan); Co-ship 153 lb. (W. G. Pay); Dare Devil 152 lb. (S. W. Pan); Income Tax 161 lb. (S. Y. Liang); In Good Time 158 lb. (F. M. L. Soares); Ironsides 158 lb. (N. Deitz); King Willow 155 lb. (Y. S. Chang); Kit-sap 158 lb. (E. O. Butler); Racing Spirit 161 lb. (H. M. Pih); Skid-daw 158 lb. (D. Black); Soldier of Italy 158 lb. (S. Y. Sun); St. Ives 161 lb. (B. A. Proulx); Surprise 161 lb. (F. Marshall); Swastika 161 lb. (H. V. Pearce); The Ruddy Sheldrake 161 lb. (L. G. Frost); Tiny Star 158 lb. (D. S. Li); Utopian 158 lb. (Ip Kui Ying); Young Chap 152 lb. (P. P. Botelho).

Time: 1:33.1.  
Won by: 2 len. 3 len.

Winner Places  
Classic Hall ..... 761 963  
Surprise ..... 368 476  
King Willow ..... 162 329  
Tiny Star ..... 104 97  
City View ..... 101 175  
St. Ives ..... 91 118  
Chow Fan ..... 57 98  
Soldier of Italy ..... 55 77  
Ironsides ..... 50 91  
Young Chap ..... 48 10  
Chesterfield ..... 45 79  
Racing Spirit ..... 37 66  
The Ruddy Sheldrake 28 50  
Cavalcade ..... 28 48  
Utopian ..... 14 21  
In Good Time ..... 10 19  
Kitsap ..... 8 16  
Income Tax ..... 7 4  
Dare Devil ..... 6 13  
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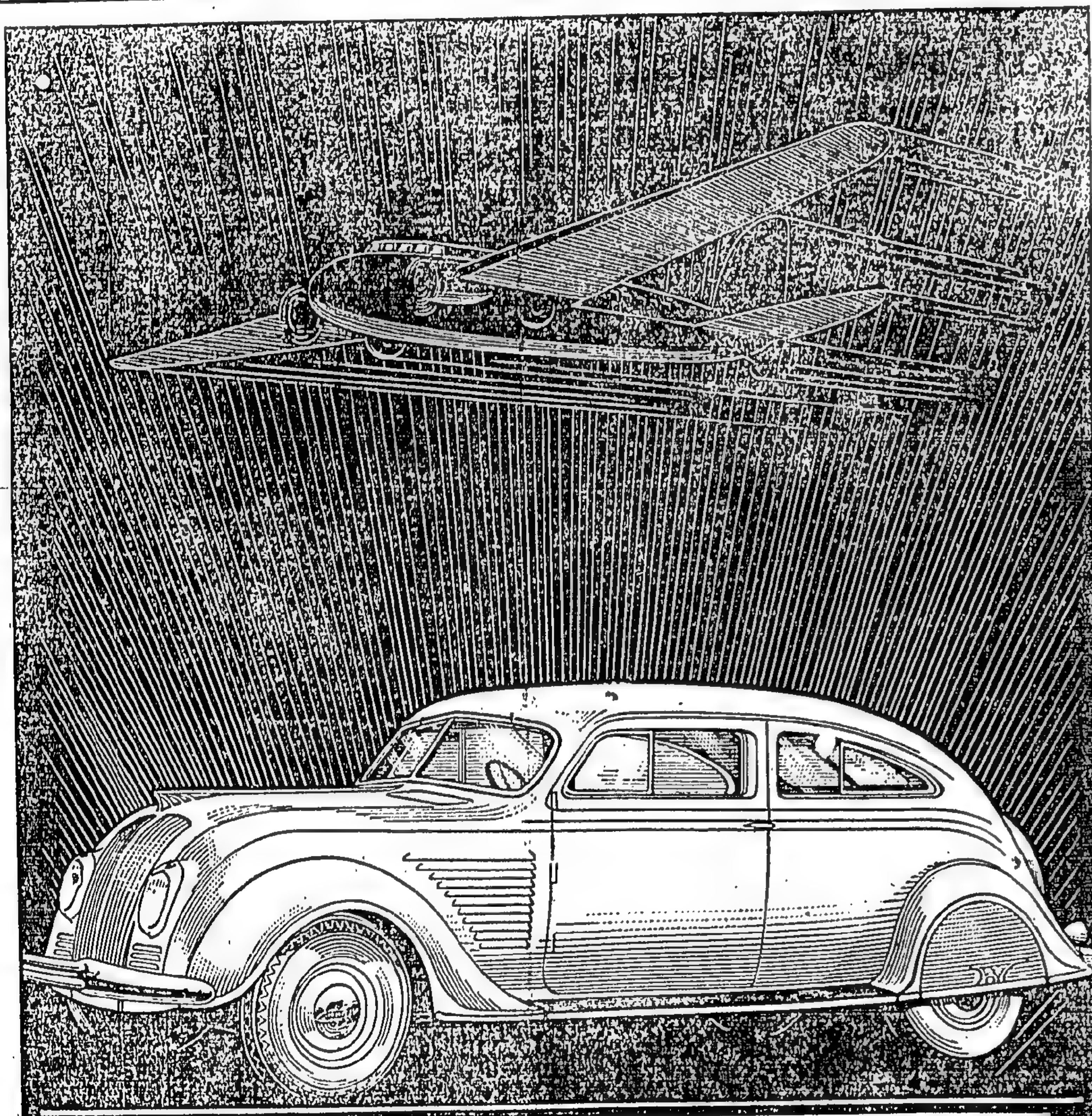
8.—4.00 P.M.—THE TRIAL PLATE.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, bona fide Grifins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Entrance \$10. One and a Quarter Miles.

Plane's Hydroplane 161 lb. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 1  
Li Shiu Pang's Soldier of China 161 lb. (Mr. S. Y. Sun) 2  
Hem's Lemberg 158 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 3

Also ran:—Bay View 161 lb. (Mr. T. L. Wong); Colombo 161 lb. (Mr. S. N. Pan); Dawn View 161 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Eyes 161 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Jolly Butterfly 155 lb. (A. A. R. Botelho); Juno 161 lb. (Mr. H. V. Pearce); King's Warden 161 lb. (Y. S. Chang); Lucky Face 161 lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares); New Star 161 lb. (Mr. D. S. Li); Racing Luck 161 lb. (Mr. H. P. Chanson); Rac-ing Pluck 158 lb. (Mr. H. M. Pih); Ribble 158 lb. (N. Deitz); Sandy Bay 155 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost).

16 starters.  
Won by: 1½ lengths and 1½ lengths. Time: 2:39.0.

Winner Places  
Soldier of China ..... 1179 1337  
King's Warden ..... 487 489  
New Star ..... 442 586  
Sandy Bay ..... 189 241  
Lemberg ..... 187 281  
Bay View ..... 66 71  
Hydroplane ..... 29 48  
Racing Pluck ..... 23 28  
Glad Eyes ..... 22 47  
Ribble ..... 19 49  
Racing Luck ..... 18 16  
Colombo ..... 14 25  
Lucky Face ..... 14 28  
Jolly Butterfly ..... 7 15  
Dawn View ..... 5 11  
Juno ..... 5 5



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most, and seen it reduce the world  
to a mass of ruins."

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## Subject—MIND.

Sunday Service 11.15 a.m.

The Sunday school is held on  
Sunday Morning at 10 o'clock.

Wednesday Evening Meeting at 8  
p.m. Reading Room at above ad-  
dress open Tuesday and Friday, 10  
a.m. to 12 noon. Monday and  
Thursday, 5.30 to 7 p.m. The  
Public is cordially invited to at-  
tend the service and visit the  
Reading Room. Branch of The  
Mother Church, The First Church  
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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY  
CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING, 1934,  
24th, 26th, 27th, 28th February,  
and 3rd March, 1934.

ON SATURDAY 24th, MON-  
DAY 26th, TUESDAY 27th,  
and WEDNESDAY 28th February,  
the first race will be run at 11 a.m.  
and the first race will be run at  
11.30 a.m. On Saturday, the 3rd  
March, the first race will be run  
at 1.30 p.m., and the first race will  
be run at 2.00 p.m.

The time interval will be taken  
after the fifth race on the four  
days.

MEMBERS' BADGES AND  
ENCLOSURE.

Members are reminded that  
they and their ladies must wear  
their badges prominently display-  
ed throughout the Meeting.

No one without a badge will be  
admitted to the Members' En-  
closure.

Badges admitting non-members  
to the Members' Enclosure and  
Club Rooms at \$10.00 per day in-  
cluding tax—or \$40.00 including  
tax for the Meeting (ladies \$5.00  
and \$2.00 respectively), are obtain-  
able through the Secretary upon  
introduction by a Member, such  
Member to be responsible for all  
chits, etc.

Badges admitting to Members'  
Enclosure will NOT be on sale at  
the Race Course.

The Secretary's Office, 3rd Floor,  
Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794),  
WILL CLOSE AT 10 a.m. ON THE  
FIRST FOUR DAYS, AND AT  
12.30 p.m. ON THE FIFTH DAY.

A limited number of Timfins will  
be available each day at the Club  
House, provided they are ordered  
in advance from the No. 1 Box,  
Telephone No. 21920.

On no pretext will children be  
permitted in either enclosure dur-  
ing the first four days of the Meet-  
ing.

## PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of admission to the  
Public Enclosure is \$4.00 per day  
including tax for all persons in-  
cluding ladies, and is payable at  
the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform  
are admitted to the Public En-  
closure at \$1.00 per day including  
tax.

Bookmakers, Tie Tac men etc.  
will not be permitted to operate  
within the precincts of The Hong  
Kong Jockey Club during the Race  
Meeting.

Timfins will be obtainable in the  
Restaurant in the Public En-  
closure.

## SERVANTS' PASSES.

Passes for Servants will be  
issued on application to the Sec-  
retary, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Build-  
ing.

Employers are requested to dis-  
tribute them with discrimination  
and to endorse their names on the  
passes.

Servants are not permitted in  
the Members' Enclosure except for  
passing through on their duties  
but must remain in their em-  
ployers' stands.

Any persons found loitering  
with Servants' passes in their  
possession will forfeit the same  
and will be removed from the en-  
closure.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hong Kong, 12th Feb., 1934.

HONG KONG HORTICULTURAL  
SOCIETY

THE ANNUAL SHOW OF  
FLOWERS and VEGET-  
ABLES will be held at the VOLUN-  
TEER HEADQUARTERS on WED-  
NESDAY, the 7th MARCH, 1934,  
from 3 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.

ENTRIES WILL DEFINITELY  
CLOSE at the Hon. Secretary's  
Office, 11, Queen's Road, Central, at  
NOON on THURSDAY, the 1st  
MARCH, 1934, but intending ex-  
hibitors are requested to SEND IN  
THEIR ENTRIES AS EARLY AS  
POSSIBLE.

MEMBERS who have not yet  
paid their subscriptions and ALL  
THOSE who wish to join the  
SOCIETY are requested to send  
\$5.00 immediately to the UNDER-  
SIGNED.

J. T. BAGRAM,

Hon. Secretary.

Hong Kong, 7th February, 1934.

## NOTICE.

THE DRAW for the Sweepstake  
on the Hong Kong Derby will  
take place at the Club House on  
SUNDAY, 25th February, at 7  
p.m.

## VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

HONG KONG GENERAL  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

## CHINESE LANGUAGE SCHOOL.

LADIES or GENTLEMEN desir-  
ing instruction in Cantonese  
Colloquial or Mandarin are in-  
vited to attend for enrolment on  
FRIDAY, 2nd MARCH, at 5.15  
p.m., and 6 p.m., respectively in  
the Board Room of the Hong Kong  
General Chamber of Commerce,  
Chartered Bank Building.

The formation of Mandarin  
classes is subject to the enrolment  
of a sufficient number of students.  
Fuller particulars may be ob-  
tained from the undersigned.

M. F. KEY,

Secretary.

Hong Kong, 23rd. February, 1934.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY.  
THERAPION NO. 1  
THERAPION NO. 2  
THERAPION NO. 3  
No. 1 for Bladder Catarrh. No. 2 for Blood &  
Skin Diseases. No. 3 for Chronic Weaknesses.  
Suffer from it, consult, consult No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

## FOOTBALL

(Continued from Page 4.)

Not to be disheartened, the  
Borderers attacked from the kick-  
off and made a strong attack, the  
ball striking the Lincolns cross-  
bar. Purcell then initiated a smart  
move which resulted in him net-  
ting for the Borderers.

After half-time the Borderers  
greatly improved and the game be-  
came much more interesting.

An exciting moment was provid-  
ed when following a neat corner  
taken by John, the ball was headed  
by Pugh against the post. After  
this incident the Lincolns again  
renewed their attack and the Bor-  
derers were hard pressed. Follow-  
ing some midfield play Evans  
received a good pass and netted the  
third goal for the Lincolns.

Towards the end of the game  
Thomas and Pugh got going with  
some good footwork, and, after  
drawing the Lincolns defence,  
Thomas sent in a long range shot  
to score the second goal for his  
side.

Lincolns:— Wardle; Coleclough,  
Stephens; Robson, Wildy, Maughan;  
Clayton, Evans, Mulpass, McGuinness  
and Toynoe.  
Borderers:— Williams; Watkins,  
Hughes, Whelan, Court, Inyett;  
John, Purcell, Morris, Pugh and  
Thomas.

## THIRD DIVISION.

LINCOLNS RETAIN  
100 PER CENT.

## Win Last Game.

The Lincolns beat the R.A.S.C.  
yesterday afternoon at Sookunpo  
by 2 goals to 1 to conclude their  
Third Division fixture card with a  
100 per cent. record.

The R.A.S.C. attacked from the  
start of the match and Gormley  
missed an early goal by inches.  
The Lincolns then broke away on  
the left flank and Matthews gave a  
fine pass for RUSH to head the  
opening goal.

The R.A.S.C. re-opened the at-  
tack and GORMLEY who was play-  
ing well, had hard luck on several  
occasions, the Lincolns defence  
often being in difficulties.

The Lincolns, however, went  
further ahead just before the end  
when RUSH received a chance pass  
and scored the second goal for his  
Regiment.

Shortly after O'BRIEN scored  
the only goal for the Service Corps.

## TWO GAMES POSTPONED

Neither of the two Third Divi-  
sion matches which were due to be  
played on the King's Park ground  
yesterday took place, the ground  
being in an unfit condition.

## ANNUAL RACE MEETING

(Continued from Page 12.)

Parl-mutuel, winner \$409.00;  
places, 1st \$40.70; 2nd \$6.50; 3rd  
\$12.10.

4.30 P.M.—THE CHINA STAKES.  
—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third  
\$200. For China Ponies. Weight  
for inches as per scale. Jockey  
Allowance. Entrance \$10. Five  
Furlongs.

L. Dunbar's Dianna Bay 158 lb.  
(Mr. L. G. Frost) 1  
H. S. Chan's Cosack's Beauty  
(Mr. F. Marshall) 2  
Dynasty's King's Bounty 158 lb.  
(Mr. Y. S. Chang) 3

Also ran:—Alexandra Hall 158  
lb. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Boxing  
Eve 162 lb. (Mr. R. H. Charles);  
Charming Star 158 lb. (Mr. G. A.  
Harriman); Gold Key 152  
lb. (Mr. W. G. Poy); Mon  
Talisman 158 lb. (Mr. Y. T.  
Fung); Partnership 155 lb. (Mr.  
T. L. Wong); Racing Boy 155 lb.  
(Mr. H. M. Pih); Royal Flush 152  
lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard); Solar  
Star 161 lb. (Mr. J. C. A. Ingram);  
Wayward Stag 161 lb. (Mr. Ip Kiu  
Ying); Weybridge 150 lb. (Mr. D.  
Black); Wonderful Stag 152 lb.  
(Mr. N. Deitz).

Won by: half a length and 4  
lengths.  
Time: 1.12.2.

Winner	Places
Dianna Bay	1051 1048
Cosack's Beauty	77 305
King's Bounty	61 114
Boxing Eve	43 79
Charming Star	42 68
Royal Flush	31 50
Partnership	18 72
Mon Talisman	14 11
Weybridge	10 27
Racing Boy	9 17
Wonderful Stag	9 16
Solar Star	8 5
Gold Key</	







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Picture of course!SEE the Bridge  
of Thighs!HEAR the hit  
song,  
"Isn't This a Night for  
Love?"

### CONTRACT BRIDGE NOTES By "CLAY"

#### Article No. 8.

Revaluing the Hand in the light of previous bids is a phase of the game which needs careful study. It is necessary to bear in mind continually, the attacking and defensive values, and distribution i.e. 5 Spades to Ace, King will produce on the average 4 tricks in that suit if trumps, provided that Partner has normal support. If he holds two little spades, three tricks only will be made on about half the occasions. If he has one or none the high cards revert to their defensive values of two tricks.

Under the present day conditions of bidding 4 card suits the greatest care must be exercised in deciding on the trump suit.

Take this hand. South: S—A K 10 x. H—A x x. D—K x x. C—x x x bids one Spade. North replies with 2 Spades. South on his holding has one re-bid—the question is what to bid. I consider that two no-trumps offers the best chance of ferreting out the best declaration for the combined hands. If North holds four Spades he will re-bid them and South is relieved of anxiety as regards the trump suit.

In this example give South one more Spade and one less Club. If now North replies with any two Diamonds, South can safely re-bid his Spades once—This indicates that he holds at least five headed by the necessary honour strength. Second round calls are in a different category to original ones. Each player has acquired information from which he can make certain deductions and certain alterations in the value of each hand are obvious.

These and subsequent calls may be classified under two headings. (A) Assisting. (B) Defensive.

(A) This is rather comprehensive. If the dealer or second hand has called and been supported or taken out by partner his call if the hands merit it, is a distinctly business one and will depend on the nature of Partner's original response. The Hand should not be re-bid unless there is additional strength not already indicated. If Partner has made a forcing bid, a trick more than necessary to overbid—in a different suit or—No-Trumps—the original bidder even with a minimum opening hand must endeavour to keep the bidding open. This can often be done without increasing the contract.

(B) When not vulnerable defensive bids on the second round are often instrumental in upsetting the opponents and keeping them from a game contract.

The Dealer has the equivalent of a couple of tricks and say six Diamonds to Q10. Over a one Heart backed up by a One Spade call by opponents. Dealer may safely make a bid of two Diamonds. A bold second or third round bid may often be used when not vulnerable against opponents who are building up for a slam. In this case length is essential—as the only likely tricks are the long Trumps. In these cases—the Hand must be perfectly useless for defence, as it would be stupid to go down 450 points when there is a reasonable chance of defeating the Slam.

Here is an interesting hand from play:—

North:—  
S—K Q x x x  
H—K  
D—J 9 x x  
C—A 10 x

West:—  
S—J 10 9 x  
H—Q x x  
D—K Q x  
C—K x x

East:—  
S—x  
H—10 x x x  
D—A x x x x  
C—x x x

South:—  
S—A x x  
H—A J x x x  
D—10  
C—Q J x x

Neither side vulnerable.

1st Round

South West North East  
1. H No Bid 2S No Bid

2nd Round

4. S North's King of Hearts just about justifies the forcing bid South has about a minimum opening Heart bid, his Partner's call of 2 Spades, greatly strengthens his holding as apparently the trump

## TURTLE, TURTLE, SHINING BRIGHT

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first arrivals appeared on the skyline of the gap above them. Go-whizz! That was a near thing! panted Johnes; but Broon only lay and gasped and grunted. In his youth he had been a sailor-man, and cross-country running was not his strong point.

So there they lay, and watched the scene being set and the unconscious actors taking up their parts for this little tragicomedy. And when the moon rose triumphant over the dark hill behind them, and lit the stage as with an effulgent but refined and diffused daylight, they could count at least six parties disposed among the long grasses or behind rocks along the fore-shore below their eyrie.

"Now we're all set," said Johnes. "We mustn't wait too long. With all that gang on the beach it's not likely, but if the genuine thing took a notion to lay its eggs to-night it would complicate matters. I'll give 'em an hour to get all het up for turtles."

"Half-an-hour would be enough for this clamjamphry," grunted Broon. "Give the turtles a chance!"

"Half-an-hour goes," said Johnes, and took out his watch. So they lay and glowered; and the moon did its devoir, and the little waves tinkled and sang on the silver sand, and the high clean-cut hills loomed over all, dark but friendly. And the turtle hunters flitted about below them, one even lit a cigarette—the crime unspeakable! "That settles it," growled Johnes, and handed the reel, while Broon applied himself to his night glasses.

Johnes wound, and wound, and better wound till he reckoned he had about all the strain on the wire it would stand, but nothing happened. "Settled into the sand," cried Broon, the sailor-man; "Surge a wee bit, surge laddie!"

So Johnes slackened out the wire, and took the strain again, with the result that when the turtle appeared it came on the jump and as no turtle ever emerged in all turtle history.

"Hell!" said Broon, "easy, man, easy! It's a turtle, race not a hurdle race, you're handling. She's half-way out of the water in one sprang."

"That's no pleasing you. Take the damned thing yourself!" said Johnes, and would have handed him the reel.

But Broon waved the machine away, and glued his eyes to his glasses. So Johnes wound, and "Coming like a wee lamb. Let her rest a minute 'now she's clear of the water!" said the observer. But there came no stir from the hunters below. They evidently either kept slack watch, or their turtle was as yet masked by the background of dark water.

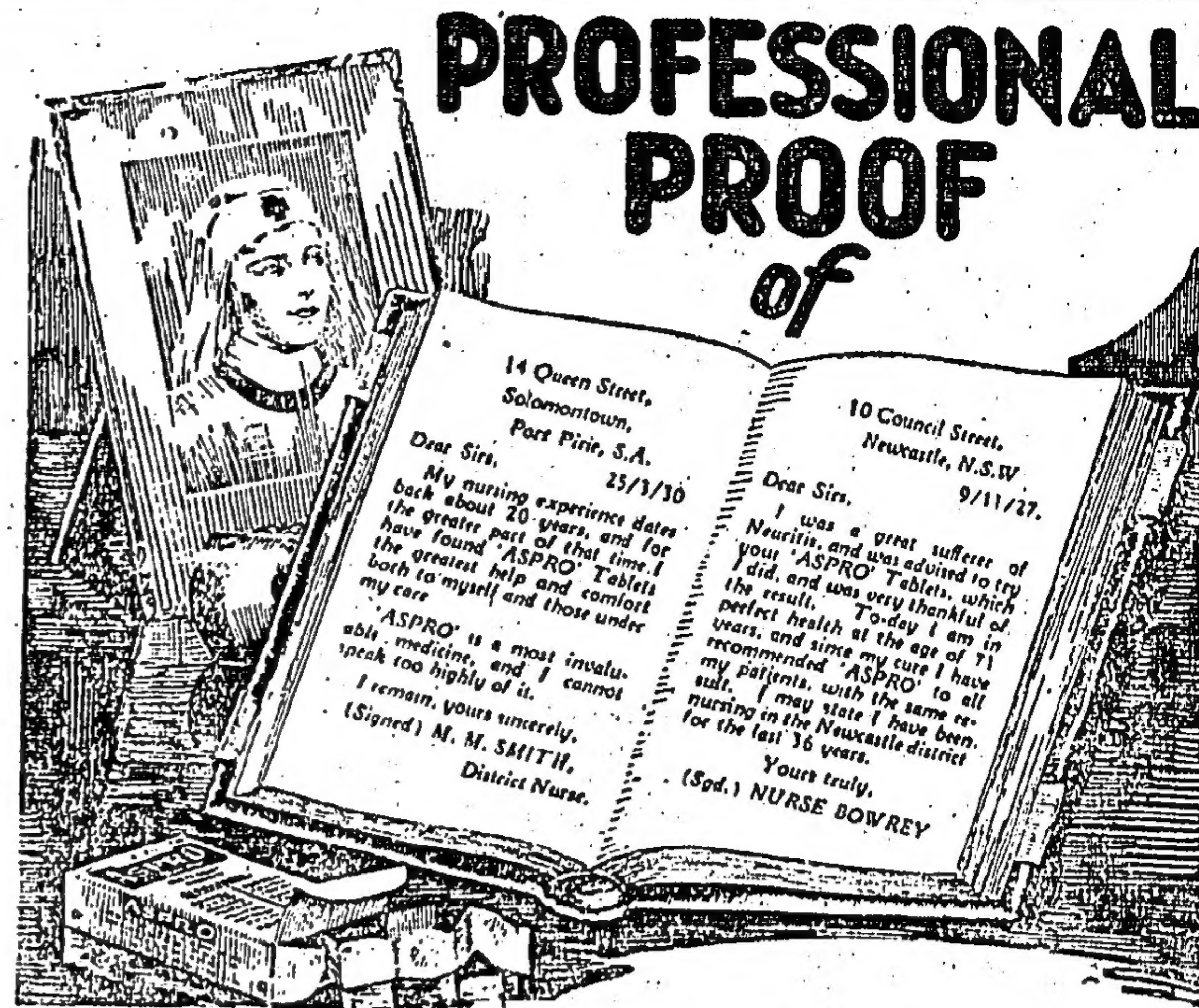
So now all of a shake Johnes wound away, while Broon divided himself between quick glances through his glasses and spells of anxious listening. But it was not till the dark shape had trundled on to a patch of clean white sand that he lay back with a sigh of pure joy. He had sensed a movement below them. The bait had been seen.

Johnes wound again, and now their turtle came slowly and cautiously over the sand as turtles are wont to come, and all along below them figures were on their knees and very evidently preparing.

Then in an instant and, as if a bugle had sounded the onset, the long lit length of the fore-shore was alive with racing figures and the waving of poles. For the conspirators the tension snapped, and they danced and shouted helpless with laughter. Johnes even forgot to slack out the wire, with the result that there came a sudden twang, and the lender of the charge, a flying small girl, turned a double somersault on the sand. The man behind her fell over her,

suit is safe and he can ruff a Diamond without weakening the trump holding of the combined hands.

The play needed care. East opened the Diamond Ace and then led the 8 of Spades. This was a significant card and North rightly suspected that the remaining adverse Spades were with West. He won the trick with the Q in his own hand led the King of Hearts followed by a small diamond which he ruffed in dummy. The Ace of Hearts was next led a small Diamond being discarded. The next lead was the Q of Clubs and when West covered the rest was easy. The only other trick lost being one spade.



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and others over him. It looked a fine mix-up. "This is where we do a guy," said Johnes, and threw the end of the wire far from him. Then as fast as their spasms of laughter allowed they made their way back over the gap.

When an hour later the turtle hunters returned to their floating homes a perfect peace brooded over the anchorage. The perfect peace was general and abiding, but the peace that lay on the 'Lady Lazy' was surely the peace that passeth understanding. Not a soul on deck, not a light showing. There she lay, a thing of dreaming white on the moonlit sea. Innocence was her hyphenated cognomen. Gullelessness draped her like a silvered kimono. But the two men lying on the bunks in the saloon were very much awake.

They heard dinghies pulling past, they heard one pause close to their gangway ladder. They heard a he-sailorman's voice growl:

"It must have been these two swabs. They weren't on the beach. Let's go aboard and pull them out of it!"

A pause, then came the reply. "No, we'll let them wait till the morning! Then we'll give them what-for." And the sound of oars told the two-some that they were safe for the time being.

An hour before dawn, when the moon had gone down and in the very darkest of the dark, the Cox'n called Johnes. "Have got a little wind," said he. "Right," said Johnes, and came on deck, to find a chill small dawn wind blowing down the gap and off the land.

With never a creak the sail was hoisted, and the 'Lady Lazy' drifted out—and through—the sleeping yachts like a phantom ship. And when, in the glory of the dawn, the turtle hunters would have gone about their vengeance, behold the 'Lady Lazy' was not there.

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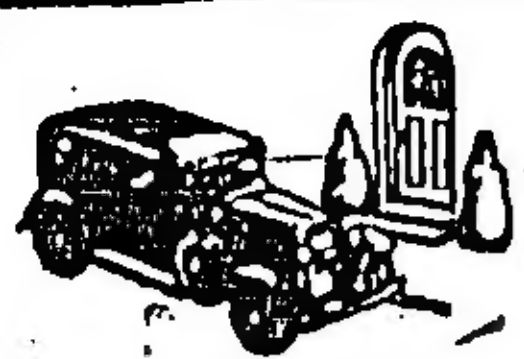
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### HEARTS TROUNCED IN SCOTTISH LEAGUE: AWAY TEAMS TRIUMPH: CARDIFF AND LINCOLN LOSE ONCE AGAIN

#### English League.

FIRST DIVISION					SECOND DIVISION				
Aston Villa	1	Stoke	2	Blackpool	2	Bury	0	Preston	0
Blackburn	1	Everton	1	Bolton	1	Bradford C.	3	Lincoln	1
Derby	1	Wednesday	1	Bradford	1	Brentford	2	Oldham	1
Leeds	3	Manchester C.	1	Fulham	1	Burnley	1	Sheff. U.	1
Leicester	1	Huddersfield	1	Manchester U.	0	Bradford	1	Swansea	1
Liverpool	1	Sunderland	2	Notts C.	1	Plymouth	0	Grimsby	1
Middlesbrough	2	Chelsea	2	Port Vale	5	Millwall	1	Hull	1
Newcastle	0	Arsenal	1	Southampton	1	West Ham	2	Notts F.	2
Sheff. U.	3	Wolves	0						
Tottenham	0	Portsmouth	1						
West Bromwich	1	Birmingham	2						

#### TABLE TO DATE

P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Arsenal	30	17	8	5	50	27
Huddersfield	30	15	6	9	57	34
Derby	30	15	6	9	57	34
Tottenham	31	15	11	5	53	40
Blackburn	31	14	12	5	54	39
Manchester C.	29	12	10	8	47	44
Wednesday	31	12	11	8	47	44
W. Bromwich	30	10	9	11	38	37
Portsmouth	30	10	9	11	46	31
Middlesbrough	30	13	13	4	58	30
Sunderland	29	10	10	9	47	40
Leeds	29	11	12	6	46	45
Newcastle	30	9	11	10	53	37
Wolves	30	9	12	9	53	37
Aston Villa	29	10	8	5	48	39
Leicester	29	9	13	7	35	34
Stoke	29	7	12	11	32	34
Birmingham	30	8	14	8	48	32
Liverpool	30	8	14	8	48	32
Sheff. U.	30	8	16	4	47	22
Chelsea	29	7	16	6	41	29

#### TABLE TO DATE

P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Grimsby	30	21	8	1	72	37
Brentford	30	16	9	5	64	37
Preston	30	15	9	6	56	40
Port Vale	30	13	8	9	48	39
Blackpool	29	16	11	2	57	46
Bolton	30	13	11	6	51	33
Bradford	30	16	13	1	61	50
Bury	31	12	11	8	51	58
Fulham	29	12	11	7	37	41
Plymouth	30	11	10	9	56	55
Bradford C.	30	13	13	4	54	49
Oldham	30	11	12	7	46	48
West Ham	30	11	12	6	38	35
Southampton	30	11	12	6	38	35
Hull	30	11	12	6	38	35
Notts C.	31	10	13	8	45	40
Burnley	30	11	14	5	50	52
Millwall	29	8	13	8	29	47
Notts F.	29	8	15	6	48	51
Swansea	29	6	12	1	35	46
Grimsby	30	9	13	5	46	47
Manchester U.	30	9	13	5	46	47
Lincoln	30	7	17	6	30	47

#### Scottish League.

FIRST DIVISION					THIRD DIVISION (South)				
Airdrie	1	Clyde	0	Bournemouth	1	Southend	4	Barnsley	5
Ayr	2	Queen's Park	0	Brighton	3	Aldershot	1	Carlisle	0
Celtic	2	Aberdeen	2	Bristol C.	2	Torquay	0	Doncaster	1
Cowdenbeath	0	Falkirk	3	Cardiff	1	Bristol R.	0	Barrow	2
Dundee	1	Hamilton	1	Charlton	2	Coventry	0	Crewe	1
Hibernians	0	Queen O'S	2	Clapton	5	Nothampton	1	Hartlepool	0
Motherwell	2	Kilmarnock	0	Exeter	1	Crystal P.	2	Mansfield	5
Partick	7	Hearts	2	Norwich	1	Queen's P.R.	0	New Brighton	3
St. Mirren	1	Rangers	4	Swindon	3	Luton	1	Southport	1
Third Lanark	1	St. Johnstone	4	Newport	3	Gillingham	0	Stockport	4
TABLE TO DATE				Watford	2	Reading	1	Wrexham	3

P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Motherwell	29	24	3	2	71	28
Rangers	29	23	2	4	69	32
Hearts	29	23	2	4	69	32
Aberdeen	29	16	8	5	76	30
Queen O'S	30	17	11	2	61	33
St. Johnstone	31	15	10	6	63	41
Ayr. Utd.	31	13	9	9	69	35
Kilmarnock	29	13	11	6	61	33
Falkirk	29	13	11	6	61	33
Hamilton	29	11	11	7	53	38
Celtic	27	9	10	8	52	46
Queen's Park	29	11	10	8	57	34
Dundee	30	10	10	10	53	37
Hibernians	29	10	10	10	42	38
Clyde	29	7	13	9	45	37
St. Mirren	29	7	13	9	45	37
Partick	29	9	16	4	54	35
Airdrie	30	7	19	4	43	34
Third Lanark	28	4	17	7	48	16
Cowdenbeath	30	4	22	4	43	12

#### English League.

THIRD DIVISION (North)					TABLE TO DATE				
Barnsley	5	Tranmere	1	Carlisle	0	Doncaster	1	Barrow	2
Carlisle	0	Doncaster	1	Walsall	1	Walsall	4	Crewe	1
Doncaster	1	Walsall	4	Walsall	1	Walsall	4	Hartlepool	0
Walsall	4	Hartlepool	0	Walsall	1	Walsall	4	Mansfield	5
Hartlepool	0	Walsall	4	Walsall	1	Walsall	4	New Brighton	3
Mansfield	5	Rochdale	0	Walsall	1	Walsall	4	Southport	1
New Brighton	3	Rotherham	1	Walsall	1	Walsall	4	Stockport	4
Southport	1	Gateshead	1	Walsall	1	Walsall	4	Wrexham	3
Stockport	4	Chester	2	Walsall	1	Walsall	4		
Wrexham	3	Accrington	2	Walsall	1	Walsall	4		

In order to assist readers to select winners in the Football Leagues.

**Ranger's Forecast**  
will appear in  
**The China Mail**  
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THE SPECIAL HOME  
FOOTBALL PAGE WILL BE  
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### Third Division (South) Cup Draw.

#### MATCHES ON WEDNESDAY

The draw for the second round of the Third Division (South) Cup competition, to be played on or before Feb. 28, is:

Newport	v	Brighton
Torquay	v	Charlton
Norwich	v	Orient
Aldershot	v	Luton
Q. P. Rangers	v	Reading
Exeter	v	Watford
Boscombe	v	Northampton
Bristol Rovers	v	Coventry
Southend		

### PRIZE-WINNERS AT THE BALL.

No One As King  
Henry VIII.

200 PEOPLE PRESENT

Mrs. Amps, Miss Wolfe, Mr. Bousfield, and Major Braster-Creigh were the prize-winners at the Gay Nineties Ball at the Peninsula Hotel last night.

As no one went as King Henry VIII, Mr. Bousfield was awarded the prize for the best dressed gentleman, while Major Braster-Creigh won the other men's prize as a cyclist of the 90's.

There were 200 people present at the Ball, which was a decided success. The following took part: Baroness Rothchild, Mr. and Mrs. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Skott, Mr. Coult, and Mrs. Alabaster.

### SCOTLAND WIN AT RUGBY

Ireland Beaten At Murrayfield.

THEIR SECOND DEFEAT

Edinburgh, Yesterday. Scotland beat Ireland by 16 points to 9 in the International Rugby Championship at Murrayfield to-day.

A crowd of 40,000 were present in showery and gusty weather. Ireland started with a rush and Russell went over after only five minutes play.

After this setback, however, Scotland secured the upper hand, the forwards opening up the game and keeping the Irish defence always on the alert.

Dick went over for a Scots try, and Shaw converted the effort. Before the interval the Scots scored again through a penalty goal by Allan and an unconverted try by Crawford to lead 11 to 3 at half-time.

Dick scored a clever try on the resumption and Shaw converted to increase Scotland's lead. Ireland, however, fought back in plucky manner and O'Connor and Russell went over for unconverted tries.

Router. Last year Scotland won in Dublin by 8 points to 6. Scotland now lead by 33 wins to Ireland's 16 in the series.

**International Table To Date**

	P	W	L	F	A	Pts
England	2	2	0	22	3	4
Scotland	2	1	1	22	2	2
Wales	2	1	1	13	15	2
Ireland	2	0	2	12	29	0

The next International will be played at Swansea when England meet Wales on March 10.

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### TWO SHIPS COLLIDED IN DENSE FOG

Southampton Water Enveloped.

### NEW YORK TAKES PASSENGERS IN COWES ROADS

London, Yesterday. Shipping was yesterday disorganised owing to a fog in Southampton Water and in the Thames estuary. The Danish steamer, "Maja," 2,203 tons, and the London steamer, "Cambridge," 1,677 tons, were in collision off the Essex coast, and the Clacton life-boat put out to the scene of the accident, but returned after the lifeboat-men had boarded both vessels and satisfied themselves that though both were damaged, no lives were in danger.

The fog delayed the departure from Southampton, by 12 hours, of the liner, "President Roosevelt," bound for New York with passengers and nearly £2,000,000 worth of gold. The Hamburg Amerika liner, "New York," was delayed on its journey from Hamburg to Southampton and it was decided she should take no passengers and nearly £2,000,000 worth of gold for New York in Cowes Roads. — British Wireless Service.

### NO BIMETALLISM OR SY-METALLISM?

(Continued from Page 1)

Mr. Somers, another House of Representatives' member, recommended an action acceptable to President Roosevelt, because no matter what measure Congress passed, it would be ineffective unless sympathetically administered.

"We can operate only as fast as the administrators are willing," he asserted. — United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

### A.D.C. PRODUCTION CONCLUDES

Crowded House See Final Performance.

The entire cast of the A.D.C.'s production, "Ten Minute Alibi," were warmly applauded by a very large audience who attended the final performance at the Royal Naval Canteen Theatre last night. A crowded house thoroughly enjoyed the thrilling drama by Anthony Armstrong, and the players gave a faultless performance.

The following was the cast: — Eric Brooks, J. Roberts, Veronica Evans, Gerald Nigel, Roger Linsell, Philip Bayly Jones, Kenneth Kemble and Sydney West.

The play was produced by Fay Grossman. Miss Doreen Ma was the pianist at all performances.

## YESTERDAY'S CASH SWEEPS

Race 1.		Race 2.		Race 3.		Race 4.	
No. 182	\$652.40	Nos. 71	\$735	No. 391	\$735	No. 409	\$1,057
" 246	\$186.40	" 345	\$210	" 183	210	" 473	302
" 72	93.20	" 440	\$105	" 3	105	" 292	151
\$50 each:—255, 82, 383, 91, 292, 364, 293, 136, 64, 267, 287, 119, 103 and 60.		\$50 each:—200, 157, 180, 123, 355, 265, 86, 37, 301, 894, 353, 283, 289, 217, and 293.		\$50 each:—335, 339, 163, 453, 245, 351, 324, 474, 193, 293, 101, 238, 56, 7, 273, 75, 407.		\$50 each:—341, 207, 255, 54, 106, 353, 79, 440, 475.	

Race 5.		
No. 281		\$1,071
" 251		306
" 477		163
\$50 each:—388, 215, 334, 426,		
392, 199, 97, 440.		
Race 6.		
No. 662		\$1,939
" 377		554
" 350		277
\$50 each:—628.		
Race 7.		
No. 188		1,540
" 686		440
" 90		220
\$50 each:—97, 186, 697, 640,		
110, 217, 679, 684, 785, 525, 781,		
561, 187, 325, 177, 220, 744, 2		
Race 8.		
No. 657		\$1,729
" 405		494
" 524		247
Unplaced runners (\$50 e		
Nos.:—754, 597, 604, 163, 76		
182, 700, 720, 670, 935, 195, and		
Race 9		
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